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White Man Cleared Of Slaying Negro

John Foster of Oak Level Makes Short Work of Negro Who Drew Rifle on Him and Made Threat.

News was received here this morning from Martinsville of a homicide which took place at Oak Level yesterday when John Foster, a farmer highly respected in that neighborhood, shot and killed Jud Pannill, a negro farm laborer. Foster surrendered to the authorities and was tried by a full court of magistrates at the scene, who exonerated him after the testimony of two or three eyewitnesses had been heard. The justices declared it to be a case of justifiable homicide.

Pannill, the evidence revealed, arrived in front of Foster's home in the Oak Level neighborhood yesterday morning with a Winchester rifle over his shoulder. He called Foster from his premises into the road. Foster complied with the negro's wish and on reaching the highway was told by the negro "Now I've got you where I want you." As he said this he took his Winchester from his shoulder with apparent intention of using it. Foster, however, had a 45 calibre revolver in his pocket and before the negro could shoot Foster fired at his antagonist four times. Three bullets took effect in the body and one in the head. Any of them could have had fatal effect.

Two or three people saw the killing. Foster remained standing by the body of the dead negro until others had notified the authorities. Magistrates Shelton Adams and Freedell soon arrived and it was decided to hold a hearing immediately with the testimony fresh in the minds of onlookers to the fatality. Questions failed to reveal any previous animosity between Pannill and Foster, whose character for integrity and as a law-abiding citizen was established. The only conclusion reached was that Pannill was the worse for drink when he made his bold summons to the white man.

Farmer Has Close Call Alighting Off Train

A Pittsylvania farmer narrowly escaped serious injury early yesterday morning when he alighted from train No. 10 when it was drawing near to Chatham. W. M. Perry, county demonstration agent, who witnessed the incident, said that the conductor of the train which leaves here at five o'clock in the morning had, according to the usual custom announced the Chatham station soon after the train had blown half a mile before reaching it when the farmer picked up his valise and hastening out into the vestibule swung off the train and rolled over several times. He was not hurt however, and he assembled his belongings and footed it to the station, arriving there before the train pulled out. Asked by the conductor why he had acted so rashly the man is stated to have said that it was the second time he had ridden on a train and thought that when the conductor announced the stop that it was time for him to get off.

May Eliminate Certain Trains

Further reduction in income from passenger and freight service on the Southern Railway system threatens to result in the annulment of certain trains. Just before Christmas it was indicated at the offices of the Southern Railway, Northern Division, in the Dudley building, that unless there was a turn for the better in the railway economic situation, it would be compelled to reduce the number of trains run in order to pare expenses.

It was proposed to eliminate on January 14th trains Nos 137 and 138, running between Washington and Charlotte, but this order has been rescinded or postponed temporarily because it was found difficult to work out good connections between the Southern trains and those on the Pennsylvania system at Washington. Train No. 137 leaves Washington at 9:50 p. m. and reaches Danville at 4:50 a. m. Train No. 138 leaves Charlotte at 9:10 a. m. and passes northward through her at 1:16. The original plan to remove these two trains included a change in the schedule of train No 32 and to operate that train on the present schedule of No. 38.

At the Southern offices it was said that there was little doubt but that some passenger trains would be annulled in the near future. It was also said that all of the Southern Railway shops have been idle since Christmas except for the purpose of making running repairs and keeping the rolling stock in condition to be operated. There has been no improvement in the movement of freight nor passenger travel since Christmas and the revival expected early in the current year has thus far failed to make itself apparent to the railway company.

"Influence" Will Have No Weight With Governor

RALEIGH, N. C., Jan 11.—Governor Morrison announced today pardon week would be discontinued. He found it was not satisfactory and people persisted in being heard in between weeks to such an extent as to make it impracticable to continue the custom.

The governor declared he would not grant any pardon hereafter where the party seeking it undertook to influence him through close personal or political friends. He deemed this such an improper thing to do he would not consider pardoning people who sought to influence him this way. He knew of no other way to stop it, and he would take this course in the future he said.

He said this did not apply to attorneys in the regular orderly way appearing before him as compensated attorneys or to friends who really knew something about the case and in an orderly and natural way sought to give him facts but he did not propose to have campaigns run to influence him in the administration of justice.

PEPPER RECEIVES SENATORIAL TOGA

George Wharton Pepper, Philadelphia, listening to Governor Sproul reading his appointment as United States senator from Pennsylvania, to succeed the late Boies Penrose. This was in Sproul's Philadelphia office.

Briand Assured Cabinet Support

French Premier to Go Before the Chamber of Deputies This Afternoon.

(By The Associated Press.)

PARIS, Jan 12.—Premier Briand will appear before the Chamber of Deputies with the full support of the French cabinet behind him on the Cannes negotiations it was stated after the Premier's meeting with cabinet.

City Assessment Fair According To Year's Deals

Commissioner of the Revenue Prior G Ragland has just completed an interesting summary on real estate transfers made in Danville during the year just past. This statement includes the bargain and sale deeds only and does not include all transfers made by exchange, division or will.

There were 548 transfers carrying a sales price of $1,648,607 the assessed values under the new (1920) assessment is $831,735. Commissioner Ragland in commenting on these figures today said:

"It will be seen by this that the sales price exceeds the assessed value by 98 1-5 per cent and very clearly refutes the claim made in some quarters that the 1920 reassessment was too high. I am not making this statement for the purpose of reopening this discussion but rather to reassure property holders that the reassessment was fair, just and equitable and that the reassessment of 1920 made by Messrs. G. G. Temple and E. B. Meade is the most painstaking, thorough and scientific reassessment ever made in the City of Danville."

New Bill Would Tack Floyd County Back on the Fifth

Political leaders in the Fifth district are sitting up and taking notice at Richmond over the proposed restricting bill which will be introduced into the General Assembly probably one day this week.

Under the proposed scheme Floyd county would be given back to the Fifth district as a gracious gift and taking Botetourt and Craig counties from the Tenth and putting them into the Ninth.

This plan will probably find the Democrats of the Fifth opposed to the inclusion of Floyd county as it was removed from the Fifth at the last redistricting of the state. It is considered a Republican county.

Rev. S. A. Thompson, of Stuart, Va., will preach at Primitive Baptist church Sunday night at 7:30 p. m.

Growers Divided Into 8 Districts

According to a statement emanating from Keysville headquarters of the Tobacco Growers Cooperative Marketing Association, the continued sign up of tobacco farmers in the organization has brought the membership to more than 25,000 growers in Virginia while latest reports from the Carolinas indicate a Tri-state membership of well over 60,000 tobacco growers that covers a large majority of the production in the three States.

The first step towards the election of directors in Virginia has been taken in the gouping of 28 tobacco growing counties into the following electoral districts: District No 1—Franklin, Patrick and Henry counties and surplus delegates from Pittsylvania. District No 2 Pittsylvania county. District No 3 Halifax county. District No 4 Mecklenburg county and the surplus delegates from Halifax. District No 5 Lunenburg, Nottoway, Amelia, Chesterfield, Dinwiddie, Brunswick and Greeneville counties. Charlotte and Prince Edward counties comprise District No 6. Bedford, Campbell, Appomattox and Amherst make up District No 7, while all of the northernmost counties in the Virginia tobacco felt are included in District No 8 which contains Nelson, Buckingham, Cumberland, Powhatan, Goochland, Fluvanna, Hanover, Caroline and Louisa counties.

Each county will be allowed one delegate for every million pounds or major fraction thereof, signed over by the growers of that county to the Marketing Association.

Letters containing ballots and full instructions as to voting in the election to be held this months in every important tobacco-growing county of the State will be mailed to each signer of the five-year contract on or before Jan 23rd. It has been announced that all members of the Association may vote by mail between January 23rd and January 30th in accordance with instructions printed upon the ballot or bring their ballot to the judges of election who will be at every county seat in the tobacco area on January 30th when the polls will close.

Squire Fitts Gives His Vital Statistics

Magistrate R. S. Fitts today made a report on the vital statistics during the past year in his magisterial district known as District 716E, Schoolfield, Newtown, Almagro and other smaller communities. His report shows that there were 2?? births and 136 deaths. The death rate is slightly lower than the previous year.

Constable W. E. Thomas, who keeps the record for District 716E, taking in suburbs and small communities of Danville recorded 166 births and 77 deaths.

France's Fears Kept World In Arms

How Clemenceau and his associates fought "the American Idea" of disarmamen at the Paris Peace Conference will be told in the

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Martial Law in Texas Oil Town

Mexia in Turbilence Following Effort to Clean Up Gambling Resorts and Soloons.

(By The Associated Press.)

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 12.—Martial law has been proclaimed by Governor Neff at Mexia, Texas an oil town where rangers have been on duty since the "clean-up" campaign against alleged saloons and gambling resorts inaugurated. Brigadier General Wolters was placed in command with power to summon the National Guard if necessary.

Is "Cave Man" Kiss at 2 A. M. Worth $25,000?

CHICAGO, Jan. 11.—An analysis of a kiss and the legal valuation thereof, as a transaction between unwed and unengaged persons, is in the hands of Judge Kenesaw M. Landis and a jury in the Superior court.

Miss Mathilde Benkhardt was a student nurse in the Deaconess hospital at a. m., April 24, 1919. At that moment, she charges, Dr. Justin L. Mitchell seized her and turning her face ceilingward kissed her savagely. She wants $25,000 for that kiss. Moreover, scandal developed which caused her to resign before graduating. Dr. Mitchell says he does not remember anything about it.

Kiwanians Will Hold Meeting Tonight at 7

The Danville Kiwanians will tonight at seven o'clock hold their first meeting of the New Year. Chairmen for the affair which will be held at the Murton, are Rev. Malcolm S. Taylor, John B. Harvie and Manly B. Ramos, Jr. According to the schedule it is to be a musical meeting.

WEATHER REPORT.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—For Virginia: Generally fair tonight and Friday, except probably light snow in the mountains. No change in temperature.

Grant Amnesty To Prisoners

(By The Associated Press.)

LONDON, Jan. 12.—King George has granted a general amnesty in respect to political offenses committed in Ireland prior to the operation of the truce last July." it was announced here. The release of prisoners will begin immediately.

Five Jurors Still To Be Chosen

(By The Associated Press.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan 12.—Five jurors remained to be selected in the second trial of Roscoe Arbuckle, charged with manslaughter in connection with the death of Virginia Rappe.

Final Revision of Treaty Under Way

(By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan 12.—The difference of opinion regarding rules of battleships to be scrapped, remained to be settled when the Big Five resumed final revision of the naval limitation treaty today.

Three Shot At Doors of Homes

(By The Associated Press.)

BELFAST, Jan. 12.—Three persons were shot, one fatally, by armed men who knocked at the doors of their home last night.

Carpentier Will Fight Cook Tonight

(By The Associated Press.)

LONDON, Jan 12.—Georges Carpentier will meet George Cook of Australia here tonight.

"Kitchen Maid" the latest improved Kitchen Cabinet for sale at low 1922 prices by Bledsoe Furn. Co.
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Auditor Devolves Time Saving Device

City Auditor Richard P. Moss has succeeded in working out a simplified form of bookkeeping which promises to be a labor saver. It has been the custom for years for the auditor to draw a warrant for the payment of bills on the city treasurer, who in turn had to write out checks. This presented no small task, with the large number of running accounts kept with Danville concerns.

It has also been the custom for local concerns doing work for the city to make out separate bills for each department. Thus a motor concern might make repairs on city-owned automobiles in several different departments and this entailed separate bookkeeping and separate billing and the treasurer was compelled to make out individual checks for each amount. Under the new method devised by City Auditor Moss, he will have a specially designed check book which will enable him to itemize the bills owed by the city to any one concern, and he will draw the check for the full amount, this to be signed by the chairman of the finance committee and the treasurer. The plan means a great saving in clerical work and will render accessible specific information more quickly than under the present method.

The auditor also is undertaking a survey of all the insurance policies held by the municipality and a careful listing of these. Heretofore the policies alone have been kept on file and on occasion it has resulted in loss of time running over the policies.

Raising Forms for the Final Stories

The height of the two final stories of the Masonic Temple was well defined today when workmen raised the wooden forms into which the concrete will be poured. The last two stories will be twice the height of the other storiese of the building and will materially increase the height of the finished temple.

Another floor must be poured on top the of the columns now being reared and when that has been finished moulds equally high will be place on the last story whnch will bear the roof.

Structural steel beams will be used freely in the remainder of the building, some of these having arrived. Workmen have raised block and tackle sufficiently stout to bear the weight of these heavy iron beams which must be lifted to the top of the building.

Several people have been heard to enquire whether or not Danville's tallest structure would include a roof garden. There is none in prospect at the present time but the building is adapted for one and a number of citizens have been heard to say that it would be a pleasurable feature and incidentally would be a source of additional revenue to the Temple Corporation. The floors thus far poured afford a magnificent view over the surrounding country and those who propose to have offices on the highest floors utilized for that purpose will experience a feeling of quiete impossible in lower structures.

Chatham to Play a Double-Header Saturday

(Special to The Bee.)

CHATHAM, Jan 12.—Chatham Training School will have a formal opening of its new gymnasium Saturday night at eight o'clock. After a few informal remarks, Chatham will take the floor against the strong quint representing the Presbyterian Sunday-school of Danville. Immediately upon conclusion of the first half of the Chatham-Danville game Chatham will send another team on the floor to battle the Lynchburg High School team.

The Chatham charges have been going at top speed since the holidays and are expected to make a creditable showing, notwithstanding these are their first games of the season. The two teams representing Chatham so far, look so nearly equal that it has been almost impossible to choose the better of the two teams.

Foresters Elect Officers for Year

The ceremony which attends the installation of officers of the Independent Order of Foresters, was held last night in their lodge room, in the Owls' Hall. The following officers were re-elected to serve a second term: H. A. Dodd, recording secretary, C. E. Hines, treasurer. Following are the names of the newly-elected officers for 1922: O. W. Bryant, chief ranger, Herman Hubbard, vice chief ranger, R. A. Elliott, F. S., Miss Evans, orator; Miss Wamsley, pianist; Henry Goodson, S. W., Thomas Powell, J. W., William Franklin, S. B., Howard Allen, J. B.

Only One Arrest Made Yesterday

The police blotter at the courthouse this morning showed that only one arrest was made during yesterday and and last night, and this was for speeding. The docket in court was disposed of in short order this morning.

Will Motley, colored, was fined $5 and costs for giving an entertainment, chargin gadmission and failing to provide police protection.

Mack Walker was fined $11.50 for speeding.

Transport Crook Weathers Gale

(By The Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Jan 12.—A radiogram from the transport Crook bringing home American troops from Germany said that the gale reached the transport last night but did not cause it to slow up. This position is given as 365 miles east of New York.

Mexico Getting Uneasy Again

(By The Associated Press.)

NOGALES, Ariz, Jan 12.—Revolutionary activities declared to be headed by General Felix Diaz are said to be increasing in the Mexican States of Vera Cruz and Oaxaca according to advices received here.

College Students And Police Fight

One Probably Fatally Injured When Clubbed by Officers Who Break Up Near Riot During Boxing Bout.

(By The Associated Press.)

OAKLAND, California, Jan. 12.—One students, George Fortune, was probably fatally injured when struck on the head by policemen who broke up a near roit between a group of young men many of them students of the California University and Oakland police who were on duty during a boxing bout. The affray started when the police attempted to quiet the disturbance.

Council Meeting to Go Over to Tuesday

Owing to its conflict with the Chamber of Commerce banquet to be held at Hylton Hall at eight o'clock tomorrow night, the monthly meeting of the council will be held in all probability next Tuesday night.

The finance committee met yesterday to discuss a method of financing not only the electric power house improvement, which is to cost about $100,000, but also the over-expediture for the improvement of streets, which will run perhaps $75,000 over the full amount of the bond issue. Owing to the absence of City Attorney Julian Meade, no action was taken, and his return will be awaited and discussions entered into with him prior to the council meeting. It is probable that the improvements will be financed through a bond issue, as the amount in question virtually precludes it from being drawn from the general fund. The city is far below its bond limit.

Sues for Damages Following Accident

Mrs Mollie Patterson, who it is alleged, was seriously injured some weeks ago when she was run down by an automobile driven by J. O. Gunn, of Caswell county yesterday through counsel, instituted suit against Mr Gunn for the recovery of $2,000 damages. The suit will be on the February docket.

Arguments Before Committee Begins

(By The Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Arguments on modification of the Big Five meat packers consent decree to enable them to resume handling unrelated grocery lines begun today before special investigating committee representing justice, agriculture and commerce departments.

—Miss Lucile Adams remains quite sick at her home on North Ridge street.

Unequal Division Of Taxes Shown

Auditor's Report Shows Cities Get Back 24 P. C. of State Taxes and Counties Get Back 127 P. C.

With a determined fight to be waged before the General Assembly looking for an equalization of tax revenue between the cities and the rural districts, interesting figures have been compiled from the report of the auditor of public accounts by the organization of Virginia cities which have merged their interests in the effort to secure redress from what is considered unjust distribution of tax money.

The one hundred counties of Virginia during the past year drew out of the treasury the sum of $1,392,290.46 in excess of what they paid into it, the counties, in other words, getting back 127 per cent of their state taxes. Eighty-three counties drew out more than what they paid in, while seventeen counties paid in more than they eventually drew out. Among the seventeen counties on this "honor roll" is Pittsylvania county, which put into the treasury more than what it drew out.

A further analysis of the figures shows that the 23 Virginia cities paid into the treasury the sum of $6,591,651.52, and they drew out $1,586,382.05, the amount paid in, in excess of the amount withdrawn, being $5,005,269.47. These figures resolved show that the cities of Virginia get back 24 per cent of their state taxes.

These figure sare prepared for the benefit of those cities which recently formed a combination for the purpose of seeking a readjustment of the distribution of tax money. Danville is among the Virginia cities interested in this effort.

Careless Huntsman Killed Own Horse

WILLIAMSBURG, Jan. 11.—The story of a rifle bullet which killed three deer and the pony upon which the huntsman was riding was told and vouched for by a prominent sportsman and citizens here today. John L Parsons, of Charles City county, a lumberman and hunter, whose ancestors were reared in the smell of gunpowder from the time of Captain John Smith, is declared to have ridden to the leeward side of a group of three deer. Firing at the nearest one, he saw first it, then the second and third fall and in a moment he felt his pony give way and sink to the ground. It was explained that the bullet ricochetted from deer to deer and then killed the mount. Al lthree deer were brought in by the huntsman.

George P. Geoghegan still opines that his story of the 999 blackbirds holds supremacy in Virginia for the time being.

J. R. Harris Expires Suddenly at Home

J. R. Harris, age 45 years, died suddenly this morning at 5 o'clock at his home, 564 Floyd street, from an attack of the heart. Mr. Harris was building a fire at the time and suddenly collapsed. Until the heart seizure he had been in the best of health and retired last night feeling well as usual. Deceased is survived by his widow, Mrs. Alice Harris, and one child. He was a native of Roxboro, N. C.

The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from the residence, 564 Floyd street, the services to be conducted by Rev. H. W. Connelly. Interment will be in Mountain View cemetery.

Greek Patriarch Taken From Office

Head of Church Is Found Guilty of Traitorous Conduct and Ordered to Monastery.

(By The Associated Press.)

ATHENS, Jan 12.—An ecclesiastical court presided over by the Metropolitan of Athens, today found Rev. Meletios Metaxakis, recently elected patriarch of Constantinople guilty of attempting to bring about schism in the church.

He was ordered deprived of every rank and secluded as a monk in the Zante monastery.

Submarine Said To Be Booze Ship

CAPE MAY, N. J., Jan 11.—Hans Jensen and Pedro Lennington, fishermen of Sea Bright, N. J., who have been using Cape May harbor for a port of call reporte dtoday they had watched strange antics of a submarine offshore. They think the submarine is in the booze-running from the Bahamas, supplying craft that have been taking it to the New Jersey coast.

The fishermen report they sighted the submarine several times. The fishermen said they were hailed last night by a small craft and the skipper asked the way to Two Mile Beach. This has been searched as a possible cache of booze runners.

There is no mother ship of submarines in the harbor and it is reported there is no mother ship at Delaware breakwater. When the navy submarines are in these waters the mother ship always accompanies the subs.

J. Kenneth Carter Secures Clerkship

J. Kenneth Carter has gone to Richmond, having just been appointed as clerk of the committee on courts of justice, one of the most important Senate clerkships. Mr. Carter, who is studying law, will remain in Richmond until the close of the legislative session.

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Lincoln Stock Goes Up When Ford Rumor of Buying Is Started

DETROIT, Jan. 11.—More than 50,000 shares of the Lincoln Motor Company changed hands on the Detroit Stock Exchange today following announcement that the Ford interests planned to submit a bid of $8,000,000 for the Lincoln plant when it is put up at a receiver's sale February 4, here.

The stock opened at less than $ a share and the top price recorded was $9, a block of 50 shares being sold at that price. The close was at $.

Lincoln Class A stock was bought out at $50 and sold as high as $6? but has dropped as low at $2 since the receivership.

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Georgia Fugitive Taken In Charge By Sheriff of State

Will Green, colored, arrested here several weeks ago as a fugitive of justice from Georgia, was turned over to a sheriff from that state last night and the officer with the negro in his custody left on train No. 29. Green is wanted at Clarkesville, Georgia, on a charge of murder. He and another negro are alleged to have killed a negro workman.

Several days ago a sheriff came here from Georgia for the purpose of taking the negro back but the negro refused to return without requisition papers. These, however, in the meantime, were fixed up and the officer last night had no trouble in taking charge of the alleged murderer.

Green was placed under arrest several weeks ago by Detective J. N. Campbell and Sergeant Haraway. The officers recognized him as a fugitive from the description given in a circular sent out from Georgia. No reward was offered.

Details of the alleged killing are not known here. The two negroes who were alleged to have committed the crime made their escape immediately and neither has been seen since until Green's arrest, by the local authorities. Green is said to have stated last night that the other man sought in connection with the murder is in West Virginia.

ERNEST TURNER SERIOUSLY INJURED IN AUTO CRASH

It was learned here last night that Ernest Turner, a student at Atlanta Dental College, and a graduate last year of V. M. I. was seriously injured yesterday in an automobile accident in Atlanta. R. E. Turner, of Turner Bros., this city, left last night for Atlanta.

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Bill To Bar Booze Buyer

RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 11.—A joint resolution today was introduced in the house which is thought to have the support of Governor Westmoreland Davis, amending section 34 of the state constitution so as to require all candidates for state, municipal or county office in Virginia to take an oath that they have not, since Dec. 1, 1924, violated any provision of the state of federal liquor laws, and that, if elected, they will not practice any such violation. The resolution was sponsored by Delegates Wilbur C. Hall, of Loudoun, and Mayo C. Brown, of Lynchburg. It means, among other things, that a person buying from a bootlegger would be barred from holding office.

The resolution imposes the following oath on all candidates for office:

"I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support the constitution of the United States and the constitution of the state of Virginia, ordained by the convention which assembled in the city of Richmond on the twelfth day of June, nineteen hundred and one, and that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all duties incumbent on me as ———— according to the best of my ability. I further solemnly swear that I have not, since the first day of December, ninteen hundred and twenty-four, knowingly violated any of the provisions of the laws of the commonleaht of Virginia or of the United States relating to intoxicating liquors, and that I will not, during my continuance in office, knowingly violate any of the provsions of the laws of the commonwealth of Virginia or of the United States relating to intoxicating liquors. So help me God."

No person who is unable to take the foregoing oath, or who shall not take the same, shall hereafter be eligible as a member of the General Assembly or to any office of the state, or of any county, city, town or other subdivision of the state.

War Nightmare Is Airship Now, Say Banqueters

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—While the Washington arms conference found it not feasible to limit aircraft, navy chiefs gathered for the fourteenth annual banquet of the Aero Club of America, at the Hotel Commodore aired their views on "the one important weapon of the next war"—the aeroplane.

"Wars will not cease forever," declared Rear Admiral W. F. Fullam, U. S. N., chief speaker. "Pacifists must not beguile us into a state of effeminate unpreparedness."

He commanded the Washington conference for its "intelligence" in scrapping the battleship, which had become the "nightmare" of the navy, and said, "If we are to build no more battleships, naval officers may turn their minds to the development of something else."

The something else, of course, he said, was the airplane. The airplane, he declared, should be regarded as a "gun" and not a flying machine.

"An airplane is," he explained, "the most powerful and effective gun, with the greatest range, the heaviest projectiles, the greatest variety of offensive and explosive agents known to history. All the planes of the United States can be mobilized against an enemy in a few hours. It is difficult to see how they could be repelled."

Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker, American premier ace, stressed the commercial aspect of the airplane.

Secretary Denby Has Va. License, He Informs Hart

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Secretary Denby has no immediate fear, he said, that he will be haled before the Virginia state game commission to answer charges that he hunted in the state without a license.

Replying to an inquiry from Secretory M. D. Hart, of the Virginia department of game and inland fisheries, Mr. Denby called attention to the fact that license No. 3,011 issued in Stafford county, Dec. 23, 1921, was held by the present naval head, and expressed the conviction that his fame as a hunter was not so great as to warrant his exclusion from the rich game preserves of Virginia.

The question of whether the secretary of the navy had hunted in Virginia without a license arose yesterday when Secretary M. D. Hart, of the Virginia department of game and inland fisheriese, submitted to Mr. Denby an anonymous lette renclosing a clipping reporting the secretary's hunting trip and asking if "these birds of Republican plumage are not expected and required to pay a hunting license as W. J. Bryan?"

—Mrs. W. C. Dove, who was operated on yesterday at Edmunds hospital, was reported this morning to be getting along as well as could be expected.

Shorthand was first suggested by Franklin in 1768 and invented by Isaac Pitman in 1837.

Jilted by Girl Pal She Tried Suicide

CAMBRIDGE, Jan. 11.—Miss Mary Trask, Radcliffe College senior, now in the Cambridge hospital with a bullet wound in her head, apparently attempted suicide because of an emotional but unrequited affection for her room mate, Miss Sallie Gifford, of White Plains, N. Y., college authorities stated today. Miss Trask probably will recover.

A farewell note written to Miss Gifford by Miss Trask was found which read:

"Darling I love you, and don't let Lucy know why I decided I could no longer bear life. Oh darling, I love you to the point of death, with love that surpasses life. (Signed Dickie."

Dickie was the pet name by which Miss Trask was known. Miss Trask and Miss Gifford roomed together in Whiteman Hall. They had what is known in girls' institutions as a "crush" on each other and for a long time were inseparable.

After the holidays Miss Gifford's feeling for her roommate showed coolness, it is said, and the other girl brooded over the rift.

On Sunday night she wrote the tragic note of farewell, and a short time later the muffled report of a pistol shot was heard from her room in which the girl was alone.

An attempt was made to keep the affair a secret, but when news of it leaked out, a statement was issued by the authorities that Miss Trask was accidentally shot while examinin ga pistol. According to this s atement Miss Trask knew the weapon was loaded, but made the mistake of believing she had slipped the safety catch into place.

Miss Trask, whose home is in California, was an exponent of the outdoor life, and was a member of the Redcliffe Hockey team that met the English girls who recently visited this country.

Further Evidence On France Hanging

(By The Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Only two soldiers were hanged at Is-Sur-Tille, France, while he was in command there from March to July, 1919, Colonel Ham testified before the Senate committee.

OFFICERS RELEASED UNDER HEAVY BONDS

HILLSBORO, Ill., Jan. 11.—Sheriff Wilson, of Bond county, indicted with Constable Battleson, of Greenville, and eight other men, in connection with the $37,000 robbery of the Panama State bank, December 12, today was released under $18,000 bonds. The sheriff, Battleson and four others are charged with burglary and larceny and with assault with intent to kill, in connection with the shooting of J. D. Williams by the robbers in their flight.

Mrs. Jerry Brown, wife of one of the men indicted, says the men met at her home and divided part of the loot. She aided in obtaining the indictments. None of the stolen money has been recovered.

NEAR EAST RELIEF

The local committee of the Near East Relief of which J. C. Robertson, pastor of Mount Vernon church, is chairman is busy completing the plans for Near East Relief Sunday, January 22.

The churches of the city will be invited to participate in this movement and in the afternoon a mass meeting will be held in the Broadway Theatre when the great film, "Alice in Hungerland" will be shown followed by an address by a representative of the Near East Relief Committee is encouraged by the growing sentiment of the community and ins pleased to acknowledge a check for $25 for this fund from the Third Avenue Christian church in North Danville.

HUGHES—WILLIAMS

NORFOLK, Jan. 11.—Wiley Fred Hughes and Miss May Virginia Williams both of Danville, were united in marriage by the Rev. Sparks W. Melton, pastor of Freemason street Baptist church in his study in this city Saturday, Jan. 7th. Miss Williams was given in marriage by her mother, Mrs. Jessie Nicholas Williams. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Hughes left over the Norfolk and Western, for Richmond and other points. They will make their home in Danville.

ENDORSE D. M. I. DRIVE

The directors of the Danville Retail Merchants' Association met yesterday afternoon for the purpose of considering the Danville Military Institute drive. The matter was presented and discussed after which a resolution was adopted endorsing the plan to lift the debt by public subscription.

—Mrs. Charles Robertson, of Greensboro, is the guest of Mrs. William E. Hill.

LLOYD GEORGE'S PARTY

Lloyd George ... as merry as any of his little guests at the Christmas party he held at his Downing street residence, judging from this photograph just received in America.

CASH REGISTER IS JAZZ MAYOR'S LATEST

MAYOR GEORGE L. OLES AT THE CASH REGISTER HE INSTALLED

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan. 12.—George L. Oles, Youngstown's jazz mayor, elected as an independent in a three-cornered race, has started his term in office like a twin-six thrown into high.

Oles has installed a cash register in the city hall.

So when you go in to pay your taxes or take out a peddler's license the city clerk takes your money, puts it in the cash register and rings it up with a loud bang!

And Oles has announced he'll reform the police department—by the simple expedient of letting it reform itself.

And it's reforming!

"I'll give 'em the chance," Oles says, "and they'll behave all right."

Then Oles issued a ukase that married men with large families would be given preference in doling out city jobs.

"Married women who are supporting or helping to support able-bodied husbands will be fired," the mayor added. "Let their husbands work and keep 'em."

"The public's going to know what's going on," Oles says. "I've got no strings tied to me. Everybody's got to behave, high and low alike."

Reforms Oles has under way are:

CLOSING 75 cafes and soft drink parlors.

DRIVING underworld denizens from town.

FORCING many fraternal and social organizations of high standing to close their bars.

PUTTING the lid on gambling.

CUTTING the city's $1,000,000 payroll $350,000 (if the council will let him.)

GOVERNOR ARGUES CENTRALIZATION OF STATE GOVERNMENT

Denounces Hypocrites and Law Evaders in the State.

RICHMOND, Jan. 11.—(By the Associated Press.)—Centralization of the entire State government in the office of the governor and vesting that executive with full power for the appointment and removal of all department heads, was formally recommended today by Governor Westmoreland Davis in his message to the General Assembly of Virginia. This change, which is considered radical, will, he said, tend to improve the efficiency of administration and will definitely place responsibility for the execution of duties. Governor Davis asked that the legislature appoint a commission to effect a re-organization of state government in accordance with this plan.

Denouncing "hypocrites" and "law evaders", who he said, are openly defying the prohibition laws of the State and Nation. Governor Davis proposed in his parting message to the General Assembly, a constitutional amendment which would bar from office those who are "politically dry" and "personally wet." As a corrective measure, the executive urged the legislature to provide an amendment to the constitution requiring each aspirant for public office to swear that he has not violated the liquor laws since the enactment of the eighteenth amendment and that he will not break these laws in the future.

"I am not giving you a moral lecture," Governor Davis told members of the General Assembly. "I am only endeavoring to save Virginia from an impending degeneracy caused by hypocrisy and law evasion."

Appropriations to be paid out of the general fund of the state treasury during the next two years for governmental purposes, as recommended to the legislature by Governor Davis in his budget, amount to $23,835,174.30.

One of the items asks that $1,000,000 be appropriated to meet criminal expenses of the state during the next two years.

American Bar Ass'n Endorses Wythe School at W. & M.

TAMPA, Fla., Jan. 11.—Endorsement of a plan to establish the Marshall-Wythe school of government at William and Mary College, Williamsburg, Va., and an expression of complete accord with efforts to establish in educational institutions "schools to train students in a knowledge of our system of government as developed from historical antecedents" was made in a resolution adopted by the executive committee of the American Bar Association at the final session of its meeting here today. The resolution was sponsored by Thomas W. Shelton, of Norfolk.

San Francisco was named earlier in the day as the place for the annual meeting of the association in August.

—Mrs. R. J. Jones is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. M. Craddock, in Petersburg.

V. M. I. Is Victor Over Methodists

LEXINGTON, Va., Jan. 11.—In a game marked by persistent fouling, slow floor work and poor passing the V. M. I. basketball squad had but little difficulty in defeating the Emory and Henry college quint by a score of 35-16. The V. M. I. squad started the game without the services of Campbell, regular forward, due to a slight injury, but he was put in during the second half for a few minutes.

Emory and Henry showed a wonderful defensive but Bunting and Kyle frequently showed their skill and made field goals. Ryder of V. M. I. was strong on the defense and more than once he was the factor which prevented the visitors from making a larger score. For the losers the offensive work of Bailey was a noticeable feature, while White made a very creditable showing.

Line-up:

V. M. I.		E. and H.
Bunting		Hutcherson
	Right Forward	
Kyle		Bailey
	Left Forward	
Summers		White
	Center	
Shannon		Graham
	Right Guard	
Ryder		Jones
	Left Guard	

Subsitutions: V. M. I.: Smith for Kyle: Drewy for Shannon, Maloney for Drewry, Kyle for Bunting, Campbell for Smith: E. and H.: Caldwell for Hutcherson, Harmeling for Jones. Field goals—Bunting 6, Kyle 3, Summers 3, Campbell 1, Bailey 3, Caldwell 1, Hutcherson 1. Foul goals, Bunting 5, Hutcherson 2, Bailey 2, Harmeling 2. Referee, Brett, W. and L. Timekeeper Read, V. M. I. Time of halves 20 minutes.

EVENT IN KNIGHT TEMPLARY

Distinguished Members of Order Participate in Conferment of Degrees.

At a well attended conclave of Dove Commandery, No. 7, Knights Templar, last night the degree of Knighthood was impresively conferred on James D. Harrison. The occasion ed on John Harrel Schoolfield and was signalized by the presence and participation in the work of Right Eminent E. H. Miller, and Right Eminent A. W. Traylor and Grand Warder W. C. Wooding of the Grand Commandery of Virginia, all of them veterans in Templar work. Mr. Miller, who has attained his 75th year, was for many years active in this commandery and in the Grand commandery, and the same is true of Mr. Traylor. Mr. Wooding is one of the best commanders Dove has had in recent years.

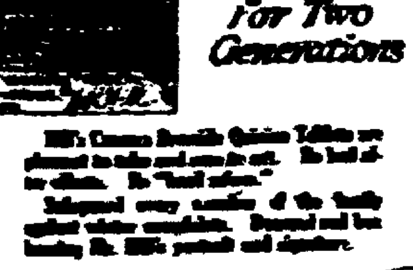
Besides these there were present many past commanders and men who have attained prominence in other branches of Masonry. All attending were impressed by the fervent and brilliant exemplification of what is regarded as some of the finest specimens of Masonic ritualism.

D. M. I. VS. GRETNA

D. M. I. will play Gretna at basketball Friday night at 8 o'clock at the Schoolfield Y. M. C. A. is said to have a strong team this year, with two letter men of last year's team and three letter men of other teams out. Practice has been in progress since school reopened after the Christmas holidays.

The OLD RELIABLE REMEDY for COLDS

Breaks Colds in 24 Hours LaGrippe in 3 Days



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QUICKEST to take—the safest and most dependable remedy for Headaches, Colds and La Grippe. Hill's Cascara Bromide Quinine Tablets are pleasant to take ...

At All Druggists—30 Cents

Julian C. Jordan Named President of Commercial Bank

Julian C. Jordan was yesterday evening elected president of the Commercial Bank to take the place of the late John F. Rison. John P. Swanson was re-elected vice-president while Charles L. Booth was re-elected cashier, Wayles R. Harrison, assistant cashier and Wilbur S. Rendleman also assistant cashier. The report of the cashier showed the bank to be in a thoroughly prosperous condition and that it had had a successful year.

The name of Mr. Jordan, a director of the bank, had recently been freely mentioned in connection with the vacancy. He has charge of the large local tobacco interests of Liggett and Myers and has been a prominent figure in community life for several years, being for several years a member of the city council under the old regime.

Alibi For Soldier Is Defense Course

HAMILTON, Ala., Jan. 11.—The defense in the trial of Sergeant Robert Lancaster, charged with murder placed witnesses on the stand today who swore that the soldier was asleep on his cot in the barracks of his company at Townley at the hour of lynching of William Baird, coal miner, is said to have occurred. Lancaster is under indictment in connection with the killing of Baird, who was taken from the Walker county jail at Jasper and shot to death on the morning of January 13, last year.

B. B. Searcy, a member of Company M, testified that he was on guard duty at the barracks the night of the lynching, and that he entered Lancaster's room on two occasions that night. Both times, he said, Lancaster was asleep on his bunk.

Changes In Faculty at Military School

Changes in the faculty of Danville Military Institute since the reopening after the Christmas holidays have been announced. Maj. Reaves has been promoted to the position of commandant o fthe cadets. Captain J. H. Bliss, graduate of the University of Illinois has reported as instructor in mathematics and Captain E. T. Manning has been placed in charge of grade work.

School opened up after Christmas at D. M. I. with every boy back and with several new boys entering next week.

TRACTION STOCKHOLDERS.

Meeting Is Called for Monday, January 23, to Elect Directors.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Danville Traction and Power company will be held at the company's office, 302 Main street, at 3 p. m on Monday, January 23. The purpose of the meeting is the election of a board of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come up.

The new board of directors to be chosen then will later have to elect a president to succeed the late John F. Rison. The late president really combined the duties of general manager with his executive labors, and it is regarded as difficult, if possible, to select a president with the peculiar qualities which enabled him to meet his responsibilities so efficiently and satisfactorily.

TWO GAMES OF BASKETBALL SCHEDULED FOR SATURDAY

A double-header in the way of basketball is planned for Saturday night by the two local High basketball teams, boys' and girls', the boys to play Lynchburg High and the girls to line up against the girls team from Roanoke. The first game will start at 8 o'clock and both games will be played on the Y. M. C. A. floor. Since Christmas the boys team has been putting in a lot of time practicing and it is thought that the team work of the quint has been greatly improved.

Great Britain has 1475 disabled nurses of the World War.

Rub on Sore Throat

Musterole relieves sore throat quickly. Made with oil of mustard, it is a clean white ointment that will not burn or blister like the old-fashioned mustard plaster.

Just spread it on with your fingers. Gently but surely it penetrates to the sore spot and draws out the pain. Musterole at your drug store today. 35 & 65c in jars & tubes; hospital size, $3.

BETTER THAN A MUSTARD PLASTER

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Ends Stubborn Coughs in a Hurry

For real effectiveness, this old home-made remedy has no equal. Easily and cheaply prepared.

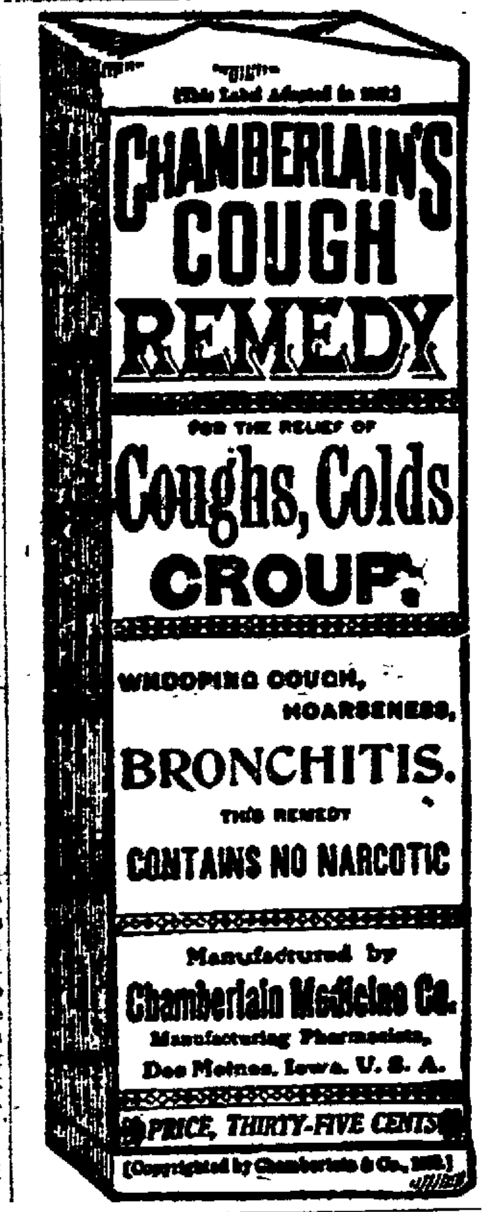
You'll never know how quickly a bad cough can be conquered, until you try this famous old home-made remedy. Anyone who has coughed all day and all night, will say that the immediate relief given is almost like magic. It takes but a moment to prepare, and really there is nothing better for coughs.

Into a pint bottle, put 2½ ounces of Pinex; then add plain granulated sugar syrup to make a full pint. Or you can use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, the full pint saves about two-thirds of the money usually spent for cough preparations, and gives you a more positive, effective remedy. It keeps perfectly, and tastes pleasant—children like it.

You can feel this take hold instantly, soothing and healing the membranes in all the air passages. It promptly loosens a dry, tight cough, and soon you will notice the phlegm thin out and then disappear altogether. A day's use will usually break up an ordinary throat or chest cold, and it is also splendid for bronchitis, croup, hoarseness, and bronchial asthma.

Pinex is a most valuable concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, the most reliable remedy for throat and chest ailments.

To avoid disappointment ask your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with directions, and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money refunded. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.



How to Make Child-birth Easier!

DO YOU wish to know how thousands and thousands of women have gone thru motherhood without knowing some of the pains and discomforts incident to childbirth? *Listen to this:*

Motherhood creates almost a new state of being for a woman.

As a result, new nerves, those heretofore restful and quiescent, spring into activity, they cry out, they tingle, they burn in their unrest.

The network of nerves across the abdomen, the loins, the back and other parts now become super-sensitive. All these nerves are being called on to perform unusual duties.

These nerves must be pacified and comforted; must be put in condition for the crisis that is pending.

If these nerves are not soothed and quieted, they may set up aggravated nerve tension, increasing in severity from month to month, sometimes even culminating in a nervous paralysis of the back and limbs. This leaves the mother-to-be in a condition where she is unable, fully, to meet the test when the climax of maternity arrives.

Mother's Friend is used externally as a massage; and its purpose, thru daily use, is to gradually, gently and effectively relax the muscles and nerves involved in the function of child-bearing; to make the skin soft, pliable and elastic so that it may expand easily and naturally as the abdominal parts enlarge—thereby relieving the tension and strain on these muscles and nerves of the otherwise severe distension before delivery.

Mrs. C. J. Hartman, 515 Palm St., Scranton, Pa., says:

"I am willing and anxious to tell any mother about Mother's Friend. It did me so much good that I wouldn't be without it if it cost $5.00 a bottle. With my first two children I had a doctor and a nurse and then they had to use instruments, but with my last two children I only had a nurse; we had no time to get a doctor because I wasn't very sick—only about ten or fifteen minutes."

Many doctors and nurses recommend Mother's Friend. It contains no narcotics, or habit-forming drugs and is perfectly harmless. All drug stores carry Mother's Friend.

WARNING: *Avoid using plain oils, greases and substitutes—they act only on the skin and may cause harm without doing good.*

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Judge Burks Not to Serve Full Term

RICHMOND, Jan. 11.—"I do not expect to serve the full term as a member of the supreme court of appeals, to which I was elected," said Judge Martin P. Burks, of Rockbridge, discussing the revived report that he would resign. Judge Burks said he had been considering the matter for more than two years and had talked over the subject with friends, but he has reached no conclusion. He said he had been elected for an unexpired and a full term, making about fourteen years, and that he might make up his mind on the subject at short notice and retire at any time—next week, next month or next year.

Judge Burks is expected to return to his old professorship at Washington & Lee University.

Representative Thomas W. Harrison, of Winchester, and Judge Henry H. Holt, of Staunton, already are being groomed to succeed Judge Burks. Representative Harrison, who was a judge before going to Congress, has announced his candidacy. This is thought to mean that Mr. Harrison will not be a candidate to succeed himself in Congress. Judge R. T. W. Duke, of Charlottesville, and State Senator Robert F. Leedy, of Luray, probably will seek the Democratic nomination.

Rheumatism

A Remarkable Home Treatment Given by One Who Had It

In the year of 1893 I was attacked by Muscular and Sub-acute Rheumatism. I suffered as only those who are thus afflicted know, for over three years. I tried remedy after remedy, but such relief as I obtained was only temporary. Finally, I found a treatment that cured me completely, and such a pitiful condition has never returned. I have given it to a number who were terribly afflicted, even bedridden, some of them seventy to eighty years old, and the results were the same as in my own case.

I want every sufferer from any form of muscular and sub-acute (swelling at the joints) rheumatism, to try the great value of my improved "Home Treatment" for its remarkable healing power. Don't send a cent; simply mail your name and address and I will send it free to try. After you have used it and it has proven itself to be that long-looked-for means of getting rid of such forms of rheumatism, you may send the price of it, one dollar, but understand, I do not want your money unless you are perfectly satisfied to send it. Isn't that fair? Why suffer any longer when relief is thus offered you free? Don't delay. Write today.

Mark H. Jackson, No. 399 H, Durston Bldg., Syracuse, N. Y.

Mr. Jackson is responsible. Above statement true.

RHEUMATIC TWINGE MADE YOU WINCE!

USE Sloan's freely for rheumatic aches, sciatica, lumbago, overworked muscles, neuralgia, backaches, stiff joints and for sprains and strains. *It penetrates without rubbing.*

The very first time you use Sloan's Liniment you will wonder why you never used it before. The comforting warmth and quick relief from pain will delightfully surprise you.

Keep Sloan's *handy* and at the first sign of an ache or pain, use it.

At all druggists—35c, 70c, $1.40.

Sloan's Liniment (Pain's enemy)

Disfiguring facial eruptions are quickly healed by Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. Good for pimply faces, eczema, acne, itching skin, and all other skin troubles. One of Dr. Hobson's Family Remedies. Any druggist.

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WHEN THE KIDDIES SUFFER FROM COLDS

CHILDREN'S colds should not be neglected one instant. Have Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey on hand, and give them some as directed. It helps in relieving irritation and loosens that hard packed phlegm. Clears the air passages.

Take Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey yourself for that heavy cold.

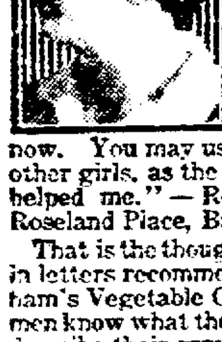
Get a bottle from your druggist today, 30c.

Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey *for Coughs and Colds*

MONTHS OF SUFFERING

How a Baltimore Girl Recovered Her Health

Baltimore, Maryland.—"For several months I suffered with severe backache and general weakness. I could not sleep comfortably at night for pains in my back. I found your book at home one day and after reading it began at once to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I have had very good results and some of my girl friends are taking it now. You may use this letter to help other girls, as the letters in your book helped me."—ROSE WAIDNER, 3018 Roseland Place, Baltimore, Md.



That is the thought so often expressed in letters recommending Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. These women know what they have suffered, they describe their symptoms and state how they were finally made well. Just plain statements, but they want other women to be helped.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a medicine made from medicinal roots and herbs, and without drugs, to relieve the sickness women so often have, which is indicated by backache, weak feelings, nervousness, and no ambition to get anything done or to go anywhere. It has helped many women. Why not try it?

THE PRINCE FURNISHES PROOF

The story that Prince William of Sweden had killed an African lion with his bare hands was taken with a grain of salt. But when he returned to Sweden he brought the above photo to show that he really had shot this mammoth gorilla on Mount Mikeno, Central Africa.

Chloroform Girl, Take $75,000 Loot In Truck And Car

Burglars Ransack House at Bath Beach While Children Sleep—Victim Is in Hospital.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—While five of the nine children of Mrs. Regina Tarrad, a wealthy Syrian, living at No. 6814 Bay Parkway, in the Bath Beach section of Brooklyn, were asleep in the care of Adele Tarrad, a sixteen-year-old sister, Monday night, burglars ransacked the house at their leisure, taking away in a motor truck and a touring car jewelry and heirlooms valued at $75,000. Adele was choloformed and is now in the Coney Island hospital under the care of two physicians.

Mrs. Tarrad and her oldest three children, Freda, twenty-one; Amelia, nineteen and Raphael, seventeen, were at a theatre in Manhattan and did not know of the robbery until they arrived home late at night to find every light in their house lit, ambulance before the door, and the valuable Eastern furnishings of the house strewn in all corners.

The robbery was first discovered by a neighbor who, as he was passing the house, heard a crash of glass and saw a shoe come hurtling through a window on the second floor. He rushed up the front steps, found the door open, ran upstairs and there saw Adele in a stupor. The girl, still under the influence of the drug, had thrown the shoe through the window to attract attention.

Among the valuables taken from the house were seven bedsets of finest white canton crepe, embroidered with 18-carat gold, valued at $21,000. These were to become part of the trousseaus of each of the seven Tarrad girls upon their marriage.

Seven sets of bed sheets of filet lace, valued at $12,000, were taken, as well as a diamond bracelet set with orify diamonds and 300 meeralds, upon which no value was set. Other jewels, clothing and $2,000 in cash were among the loot.

Not the least interesting of the valued furnishings of the house that were stolen was a gaming table brought from the Orient, an heirloom. The table—thirty inches high, thirty-six inches long and twenty inches wide—was inlaid with gold and pearl and was valued at $20,000.

Not a reword could be learned concerning the robbery, except that a passerby had seen the house lighted and had noticed the truck and automobile at the curb.

Adele, in the hysterical condition in which she was all day yesterday, remembered nothing. She was asleep, she said, and knew nothing and heard nothing until she awoke in a stupor, with just enough resource left to think of hurling her shoe through the window.

None of the five other children knew anything of the robbery. They evidently had slept through it all, for none was harmed by the burglars.

The burglars are believed to have gained entrance to the house by means of a pass key to a side door.

Seek Murderer and Motive for Puzzling Crime

KINSTON, N. C., Jan. 11.—Police today hinted at a theory that efforts were being made by sinister influences to cloak the identity of the slayer of Claude Rivenbark, who was shot and instantly killed on South Queen street late Sunday night with three policemen within seventy-five yards of him, at least two of whom actually saw him fall. A coroner's jury viewed the body, but burial was delayed, the calibre of the bullet which struck Rivenbark in the back of the head, not having been determined.

When Rivenbark and Russell Eubanks approached them on the north side of the street, Patrolmen J. R. Canady and Elwood Buck saw Rivenbark fall simultaneously with a shot from the rear, possibly fired from a distance of forty yards by an assailant at Queen and South streets. Rivenbark fall simultaneously with a shot from Shine street when struck. Eubanks was taken in custody and searched. He was intoxicated, and later told the police he remembered nothing about the incident, according to the latter. The authorities immediately satisfied themselves of Eubank's innocence.

Patrolman Frank Bursell and Carson Heath, a former chief of police, had seen the men from the opposite side of the street. They heard the report of a weapon of heavy calibre. Then they noticed that only one of the men was in view. They found Rivenbark's body on the sidewalk. Thomas Stroud, a fourth policeman, arrived a few minutes later. The officers searched the neighborhood without finding a clue to the identity of the slayer. Persons who had seen Rivenbark during the evening were interrogated.

The police learned that one man who had been in a party of three or four with Rivenbark had quitted his company because he was "too rough." Rivenbark, it is said, had smashed two windows with his first. Eubanks appeared to be completely mystified. The last thing he recalled was having been with Rivenbark some distance from where the shooting occurred, he said.

Authorities today appeared to have dismissed any suspicion they might have entertained that a member of Rivenbark's "party" shot him. They sought persons with whom he might have had a "fuss," and indicated a theory that a man, not among the victim's intimate acquaintances, stepped out of South street, took deliberate aim at Rivenbark at long range, fired and stepped back into the shadows, disappearing before the nearby officers could reach the corner. Rivenbark and Eubanks had blocked the view of Patrolmen Back and Canady, who were walking in the direction whence the former had come. The gunman apparently had confidence in his aim, unless he was indifferent as to shooting Eubanks or one of the two policemen. Every agency of the local, county and state authorities was at work on the mystery today.

Stock Market

Quotations Furnished By Rose & Son Room 12, Miller Bldg. Figures

American Beet Sugar	24⅝
American Can	33
Am. International Corp.	[illegible]
American Locomotive	104½
American Sugar	58¾
American Woolen	80⅝
Anaconda Copper	49
Baldwin Locomotive	94⅞
Bethlehem Steel "B"	56¾
Central Leather	30⅞
Chandler Motors	50
Chesapeake and Ohio	54⅞
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	18
Coca Cola	[illegible]
Corn Products	96⅞
Crucible Steel	[illegible]
Cuba Cane Sugar	9⅞
Endicott-Johnson	79¾
Erie	9
Famous Players-Lasky	78½
General Asphalt	50⅞
General Electric	139
General Motors	9
Great Northern pfd.	72½
Gulf States Steel	36⅞
International Paper	48¾
Invincible Oil N.	11½
Kelly-Springfield Tire	36
Kennecott Copper	26½
Mexican Petroleum	108½
Middle States Oil	12
Midvale Steel	[illegible]
Missouri Pacific	17⅝
N. Y., N. H., Hartford	13½
Northern Pacific	75½
Pacific Oil	45½
Pan-American Petroleum	[illegible]
Pennsylvania	34
Reading	72¾
Rep. Iron and Steel	[illegible]
Sinclair Oil and Refining	[illegible]
Southern Railway	18
Studebaker Corporation	[illegible]
Texas Co.	[illegible]
Tennessee Copper	[illegible]
Union Pacific	[illegible]
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	[illegible]
United Retail Stores	[illegible]
United States Steel	[illegible]
Utah Copper	[illegible]
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Willys-Overland	6⅝

NEW YORK COTTON

[illegible]	17.85
[illegible]	17.55
May	[illegible]
July	17.05
October	[illegible]

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET

WHEAT—	
May	$1.11⅞
July	[illegible]
CORN—	
May	[illegible]
July	[illegible]
OATS—	
May	[illegible]
July	[illegible]

—Mrs. L. R. Groves is visiting Mrs. G. R. Pittard in Greensboro, N. C.

Asheville Society Girl is Slain By Man Who Ends Life

Double Tragedy in Streets of Carolina Resort Causes Sensation—Both Apparently in Good Humor Before Lover Draws Gun.

ASHEVILLE, Jan. 11.—Miss Dorothy Parker, aged 24, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Parker, of Edgemont road, prominent in the city's younger social set, and J. Turner Sharpe, aged 30, of Waycross, Ga., are dead as a result of bullets fired by Sharpe this morning, supposedly because Miss Parker would not marry him.

The tragedy took place on Charlotte street, directly in front of the office of the E. W. Grove company at the opening of Macon avenue.

The shooting occurred at 10 o'clock during an apparently amiable walk the young man and young woman were taking. Sharpe apparently without the slightest warning drew a heavy revolver from within his coat and fired a bullet into Miss Parker's right temple. Then he turned the weapon upon himself, sending a bullet crashing through the brain. Both were dead 15 minutes later.

Harry L. Parker, an engineer employed by the E. W. Grove company, was the first to reach the scene. He found Miss Parker and Sharp lying across the sidewalk, each in a pool of blood.

Miss Parker, who was a teacher in Grove Park school for girls, was walking toward the school in company with Sharpe, when the latter's action sent them both into eternity. An alarm was immediately sent to police headquarters. Captain Luther and Coroner E. R. Morris went immediately to the scene. Neither were able to identify the victims of the terrible tragedy. Dr. P. A. Cosgrove, president of the Grove Park school, was called in an effort to identify the bodies. So horrified was he over the scene and the mangled appearance of both faces that he could not recognize his teacher. Meanwhile letters in Sharp's pockets established his identity.

Not the least suspecting the identity of the girl up to this time the police and coroner called Dr. J. M. Parker, believing the latter might recognize the victim as one of her daughter's pupils.

A glance told the unfortunate mother the horrifying story as she recognized the dying girl as her own daughter. Almost simultaneously Dr. Parker arrived. Both he and Mrs. Parker were prostrated, and had to be assisted from the scene.

By this time life was extinct from Miss Parker and the body was taken to an undertaking room to be prepared for burial. Sharpe, still alive, was placed in an ambulance and rushed toward the mission hospital. He breathed his last in the ambulance. His body, too, was taken to the same undertaking rooms.

Sharpe, whose home was in Waycross, Ga., had come to Asheville for his health. He had been calling upon Miss Parker for about two years and is supposed to have been suffering from dementia, caused by brooding over his health.

Those who had seen them a few minutes previously, say they were talking and laughing together apparently both in cheerful mood. Miss Parker was carrying a number of school books on one arm and a parasol on the other.

Sharpe was on the outside of the walk when last seen by witnesses. Judging by the nature of the wounds he placed the muzzle of the revolver against Miss Parker's right temple and sent a bullet into the girl's brain then he sent a bullet into his own right temple.

Sharpe fell directly across the sidewalk with the revolver clutched in his right hand, lying across his breast. The bullet had penetrated the skull, coming out at the top of the head. Miss Parker's body was lying across the edge of the walk and partially upon the grassy plot near the curb. Her books were scattered about the walk and the parasol lay near her body. The wounds were jagged. Sharpe had used an army Smith and Wesson, 45-caliber revolver.

Both were breathing when the police and coroner arrived, though there was no sign of consciousness. It was perceived, however, that they could not live. Coroner Morris forbade removal of the bodies until identification had been established. This was not accomplished until the arrival of Mrs. Parker and Dr. Parker.

Miss Parker was well known in society circles of Asheville, and was a popular young woman. She resided with her parents on Edgemont road, having lived in the city since childhood. She came with her parents from Goldsboro and was educated at St. Mary's school in Raleigh and at St. Genevieve of the Pines. She was one of the honor graduates of her class. Miss Parker had been teaching at the Grove Park school, this being her second year. She was an instructor in French, and bore the highest esteem of her associates and officials of the school. She is survived by her parents, one brother, Geo. Farrar Parker, who is a medical student at the University of Pennsylvania.

Sharpe was known to many persons os Asheville, who met him during his intermittent visits here. He was said to be suffering from a pulmonary disorder and came to this city in search of health.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

MONEY SAVED IS MANY SAVED. I can save you money by developing your kodak films free of cost. Bring your fims to me to develop and print. Special low prices on post cars. Willis Hennesey, 519 Claiborne St. 1-12D2t*

AUCTION SALE—ROBERT M. Friedman, Auctioneer, will sell Monday the entire stock and fixtures of Z. Roman in trade lots. Dealers and store keepers don't miss this sale. Office 502 Main St., Phone 585.

Y. M. B. C. to Hold Meeting Tonight

The Young Men's Business Club will hold its regular business meeting tonight in the assembly room of the Chamber of Commerce at 8:15 o'clock. J. C. Suter, former vice-president of the Fderation of Citizens Association of Washington, D. C., will be the speaker of the evening. Mr. Suter is thoroughly versed in civic affairs. He is an attractive speaker and members are urged to be present to hear him. Reports from various committees will be heard and new business transacted.

Happy Parents Pour Out Their Thanks To Tanlac

THAT Tanlac is a wonderful medicine for delicate children is conclusively proven by the remarkable results accomplished in the cases of the three children shown in this picture.

Little Blache Blair, of Providence, R. I., age 13, gained 10 pounds; Regina McCabe, at right, age 9, of Scranton, Pa., gained 15 pounds; little Richard Leary, Jr., of Philadelphia, who was very delicate, is now in fine, robust health. The statements made by their parents are as follows:

Mr. A. M. Blair, residing at 20 Atwood street, providence, R. I., said: "We are just so happy over the change Tanlac has made in our little girl that we can't do or say enough to show our appreciation. She had lost nearly 20 pounds in weight and looked so frail and weak that her mother and I were both almost worried sick over her condition. Since taking Tanlac, she has already gained 10 pounds, her color is better than it ever has been and she looks and acts like a different girl."

Mrs. Catherine McCabe, 414 Dickens Ave., Scranton, Pa.: said: "The 'flu' left my little Regina in such a bad condition that I have no idea she would be with me now if it hadn't been for Tanlac. It is a mystery to me how she lived on the little she was eating and was so lifeless she never even cared to play with the dolls and toys she got at Christmas. Since taking Tanlac she is as hardy and well as any child could be and has gained 15 pounds in weight. I will always praise Tanlac for restoring our little girl's health."

Richard Leary, 2342 Palethorpe St., Philadelphia, Said: "There is no doubt in my mind but that Tanlac saved my little boy's life. For two years I wouldn't have been a bit surprised to have seen him drop off at any time. He had stomach trouble and many a time the gas pressed up into his chest until his heart palpitated so I thought sure he couldn't breathe but a few more gaps. But Tanlac gave him back to us strong and well and we will praise it to our dying day."

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WHO OPENED THE OFFENSIVE?

At the imminent risk of incurring the displeasure of those who hold to the theory that the only safe bootlegger is the one who is buried under six feet of earth, we heartily endorse the recent ukase of the federal prohibition commissioner in calling upon federal prohibition inspectors to temper the use of their side arms with discretion and good judgment. We have now another of those bootleg killings in our vicinity following too swiftly for comfort behind the murder of Roosevelt Robyns near Martinsville. The Lester Stone case has, however, mitigating circumstances on the side of the law in that the occupants of the automobile containing liquor which Reidsville officers were trying to stop did pour out bullets at those who tried to stop them whereas in the Martinsville case, so far as evidence showed, there was no shooting from the liquor car.

If the accounts of this latest homicide in the name of law enforcement—the enforcement of a law designed to prevent the escape of a man suspected of having committed a misdemeanor rated as the slightest form of law infraction—it was the officers, or one of them, who fired the first shot. Perusal of the account which came from Chief of Police Jackson shows clearly that Stone or the driver of the car slowed down his machine when signalled to do so and that when Jackson turned his flashlight on his badge of authority Stone sped away hoping to make a successful escape. At that moment he was doing nothing in the eyes of common law that would justify the pulling of a pistol trigger to prevent his escape but Mr. Jackson did fire his pistol, aiming it not at the man but at one of the rear tires, hoping to puncture it and thus stay the man's flight by crippling his vehicle of escape, and intending to warn another group of officers further down the road that they should prevent the man's getaway. The occupants of the car construed doubtless that the single shot fired was one aimed at them, and that the offensive had been opened by the law. There is no denial that they too fired when they saw other forms ranging the roadside and the officers swiftly retaliated, this time with fatal effects.

Had the occupants of the car forged through the posse of officers firing for the first time, it would be a different story. As it is they were fired on first that is unless the unchallenged story from Reidsville is completely at variance with the facts.

One is constrained to ask if the transportation of liquor is to be made a capital crime. If so, let the laws be passed to make it so. Then there will be a legal excuse for putting the rum-runners where headstrong fanatics would have them, coffined, and in the grave. The whole subject, after all, can be regulated without the taking of human life. It is only since the violations of laws involving whiskey became aggravated, and regarded as the [illegible] of the age that the [illegible] have become [illegible].

PARAGRAPHICS.

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Scoop's Colyum

DRAKES BRANCH, January 12.—(Grapevine Wireless.)—Money is made round to go round, but somebody has to start it. January 16th ushers in National Pay-Up Week, when everybody is urged to pay their bills and help one another. The idea is that if A pays B and B pays C and C pays D, etc., and all make a little profit, soon the whole town will be in better shape. A hundred dollars passed around among ten people pays a thousand dollars of debts. a thousand dollars pays ten thousand, etc., as anyone can see. It's as plain as mud. But for goodness sake start the ball rolling, somebody! Might just as well do it now for the tax collector will have to know what cash you've got on hand February 1st so he can collect 20 cents on the hundred dollars for the State. If you are going to pay your bills anyway why not get busy and clean up the file and pass the taxes on to the other fellow who finally holds the bag. Think it over, brother, and act while acting's good. Junius says he would be very glad to pay old Virginia twenty cents if he could count a hundred iron men in the clear!

—oo—

Soon we all will have a chance to chip in something for the Salvation Army, that noble band which has declared that "A man may be down, but he's never out!"

—oo—

The glad day is here, the Martinsville bunch is on the way, and Brother Dodd is still happy and waiting for the frolic to commence. All visiting Elks will round-up with the local herd, at 8 p. m.

—oo—

Next time the firemen are called out at night they will put on their pants maybe instead of raincoats—to keep from being robbed, says John Malcolm.

—oo—

And this is my dearest wish,
To eat the last Waffle in the dish.

—oo—

Twenty-Four Inches?

Teacher—A biped is anything that goes on two feet. John, name one.
John—A pair of stockings.

—oo—

Reeling Home.

"The man in the next flat must be making home brew."
"Why?"
"Our roaches are returning in an intoxicated condition."

—oo—

At the Fountain.

"What is this?"
"A fern Sundae. Ice cream on a fern leaf."
"Do you eat the fern?"

—oo—

We have with us today the following touching tragedy of a gift that went astray, same tensely dramatic contribution coming from the generous columns of the N. Y. Telegraph:

He had not been in the navy long, and while abroad he had sent his dear old mother a beautiful, gaily-plumaged parrot.

A few months later he was home at the old country cottage on leave, and while at tea, not noticing her parrot, he asked his mother how she liked the bird.

"Well," replied the dear old soul, "it was a real handsome bird, but it was tough."

—oo—

Charlie Craven says the most danger in marrying a girl of the theatrical type is that when you come home hungry she will give you a song and dance.

—oo—

An auto tourist was traveling through the great northwest when he met with a slight accident to his machine. In some way he had mislaid his monkey wrench, so he stopped at a nearby farm-house where the following conversation took place between himself and the Swede farmer:

"Have you a monkey-wrench here?"

"Naw, my brother he got a cattle ranch over there; my cousin he got a sheep ranch further down this road, but too dam cold here for monkey ranch."

—oo—

Resuming the coinage of silver dollars will cheer us up, anyway. These darned new dollars won't jingle.

—oo—

Posey Hundley says prohibition has proven quite successful in spots. But where are the spots?

—oo—

Pome.

In love one ever should make haste.
So expert wisdom tells:
Just grab her round her yielding waist
And smooch her till she yells.

—oo—

Morris Prager says sometimes marriage is a tie and sometimes one side wins.

—oo—

And Now They Are Kidding Joe.

(Cheap Joe's Cross, Cor. McCreary County, Ky., Record.)

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kidd are the proud parents of a new son.

—oo—

Little Patsy Parrish says the last report he heard his parents had was because [illegible] for the Legislature [illegible] ought to be a Solon.

—oo—

[illegible] anyway [illegible] "shim-mick."

—oo—

[illegible] new Hustler [illegible] already.

TWO NEGROES ARRESTED IN CRAWFORD MURDER

[illegible] Wilson Eubanks, [illegible] of S. Crawford and the serious wounding of our [illegible] when the [illegible] to have been an [illegible]

LAST LAKE WILL BE STAR WITNESS AT KNOX TRIAL

[illegible]

THE KILLING OF A WHISKEY RUNNER

(Greensboro News)

The sooner whiskey runners learn that resistance to officers of the law means that they are inviting instant, violent death, the sooner the practice of taking pot-shots at policemen will be abandoned. The affair near Reidsville should be, and no doubt will be, investigated rigorously; but if the officers can show that they were fired upon from the automobile in which the whiskey runners were riding, then the investigation should be allowed to drop right there. Nobody, with the possible exception of wild fanatics, believe that an officer is justified in killing a whiskey-runner who is doing no more than trying to escape; but there is no sense in showing mercy to these gunmen who are not only engaged in the liquor traffic, but are ready to commit murder to avoid being caught.

Most Greensboro people incline to the belief that the course of events following the killing of a member of a gang of gunmen by a Greensboro policeman has tended to encourage the activity of such desperadoes. The Geernsboro officers was promptly charged with murder, and it was proposed to try him for his life in this same county of Rockingham; and sentiment was so plainly against him there that the court ordered a change of venue.

If that affair did indeed encourage the gunmen, then Reidsville has suffered a terrific recoil; for Reidsville now is in precisely the position that Greensboro occupied then. Her whole system of defense of law and order has been attacked. She sees now what it means to permit these criminals to pursue their course unchecked. It would be tantamount to an admission that the law—not merely the prohibition law, but every law—may be flouted with impunity; and once that admission is made neither the property nor the life of any honest man is safe any longer.

Therefore, assuming that it can be proved that somebody in that car actually did fire upon the officers, this fellow is paid for. He got exactly what his crowd was inviting, and there is no call for the state to make any effort to punish the men who gave it to him. It is a terrible occurrence to be sure; but the crime that the men committed when they shot at officers of the law was more terrible. So far from owing the dead man anything, society still is on the wrong side of the ledger; for he made a more heinous attack upon it than it did upon him.

V. M. I. CLUB FOR AIKEN.

Richmond Alumni Commend Danville Jurist for Election.

(Richmond Times-Dispatch.)

Members of the V. M. I. Club were urged by Calvin Satterfield and Marshall M. Milton to support and use their influence to have Judge A. M. Aiken, of Danville, reappointed as judge of the Seventh Judicial Circuit by the next Legislature, at a dinner held in the University Club last night. Judge Aiken is opposed for the office by J. Turner Clement.

Judge Aiken, who is 31 years old, and an overseas veteran, has received the indorsement of the members of the American Legion of Virginia, for which Mr. Satterfield and Mr. Milton are spokesmen.

The meeting last night was the regular January session and many discussions, interesting only to the alumni of the school, were indulged in.

Will Push Fight Against Vessel

RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. 11.—"The government expects to prove that the Messenger of Peace is one of more than a hundred ships that have been regularly operated with cargoes of whiskey between the Bahamas and the United States by a syndicate composed of American businessmen," said United States District Attorney Tucker today.

Mr. Tucker's statement was made after a conference with R. A. Kohloss of Salisbury, state prohibition director, who arrived here yesterday from Wilmington, where he stored more than 1,000 cases of liquor taken from the British schooner, which was recently stranded on Ocracoke Bar.

Kohloss left last night for Washington, where he will make a report to Federal Prohibition Commissioner Haynes. Both officials will go to Wilmington Saturday for the hearing before a United States commissioner. The captain and owner of the vessel are out under bonds of $1,000 each, while the bond of $10,000 required for the release of the vessel has not been given.

Carpentier-Cook Fight Held Today

LONDON, Jan. 11.—Georges Carpentier, the French champion, and George Cook, of Australia, who are to fight here tomorrow, are in tip-top form, according to their respective camps. Carpentier is reported to be three pounds heavier than when he fought Dempsey, and his trainers assert he will enter the ring a much better man than at that time.

Cook's admirers have dubbed him "Little Dempsey" as proof of their confidence in his ability to win. Every seat in Albert Hall, where the fight will be staged, has been sold.

In Africa Taken Up By League

GENEVA, Jan. 11.—(By the Associated Press.)—The question of the regulation of the liquor trade with Africa and the aftermath of the attempt of former Emperor Charles at restoration in the Hapsburg Dynasty in Hungary completed today's session of the league of nations council, which consisted mostly of routine affairs, except for a report and a decision for the neutralization of the Aland Islands, which was the forefront of the council's business today and occasioned the greatest satisfaction. The council's supporters pointed out that the settlement of the Aland question was a sign of world confidence in the council's authoritativeness.

SUIT IS DISMISSED

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Supreme Court Justice Donnelly today dismissed a suit for $500,000 brought by the Mexican government against the Lehigh Corporation on the ground that it had not been recognized by the American government.

The claim involved a contract for 25 submarine chasers made in August, 1920, by Minister of Finance Alvarez. The complaint alleged that part of the cost of the chasers had been paid, but none had been delivered.

He who hesitates is old fashioned.

Any bob who thinks he has no chance is correct.

Fritzie Scheff Says Lack Of Worry Keeps Her Fit

FRTZIE SCHEFF

The Bee asked several of the country's leading beauties how they keep beautiful. Following is what Fritzie Scheff gave as her recipe for beauty. Others will tell their beauty secrets in stories to follow.

By FRITZIE SCHEFF
Keith Vaudeville Prima Donna

Don't worry!

If women could only realize the destructive quality of worry, they would teach their daughters early in life to accept circumstances, try to better them if they wish, but not to fret and fuss over things.

I have seen beautiful faces of comparatively young women ruined by a nervous fretting attitude toward life. On the other hand I've seen women way along in years with the skin of a girl just because they learned to take a philosophical view of things.

Through my whole career I have clung to my "don't worry" theory—and that is what has kept me fit.

Cosmetic one must have. But they should be thoroughly washed off every navy and the skin given a chance to breathe. The best method of removing cosmetics, as well as the soil of the day, is to cream the face well first.

Slather the cream over the skin very generously and then wipe it off with a soft and very clean towel. It may be necessary to use a second coating of cream if all of the traces of cosmetics have not been removed.

Then the water! Nothing quite like soap and water for a healthy, youthful skin! Possibly it won't be necessary to use soap with the water bath after the cream wash—that all depends upon the condition of the skin—but the last rinsing should be with cold water.

I have no patience with clothing which conceals the lines of the figure. No woman can be truly beautiful in a frock or gown which is nothing more than an indistinct maze of material with no lines, no accent, no tone value.

If I wear something with the loose line prevalent just now it is invariably transparent with a pretty foundation built on distinct lines.

The whole charm of a dress is in its line—not its material.

Bank Cashier Held For Robbery

PASADENA, Calif. Jan. 11.—Fred A. Grace, cashier of the First National bank here was placed in the city jail today and charged with having robbed a Citizen's National bank messenger of $15,000 October 7. According to the official statement from the police department, Grace admitted the theft, implicated two others, and restored $7,856 stolen funds.

Grace, who has been employed by the bank for 13 years told the police they announced, that he was the principal in the robbery of William Booker, bank messenger, which had gone unsolved until today.

Louis Paillo and Thomas Walter later were taken into custody. Both denied any connection with the robbery and Grace reiterated, according to the police that he did the work unaided.

PAID OUT $45,895.80 IN CLAIMS LAST YEAR

MACON, Ga., Jan. 11.—Claims paid by the Central of Georgia railroad for losses due to rough handling of freight, robberies and other causes, totalled $145,985.80 for the year 1921, as General Manager G. L. Candler told 300 officials and employes of the company here today. The loss from robberies was $12,429.49.

THE FIRST AFFAIR

(Beatrice Barry, in Harpers Bazaar.)

At the Christmas costume ball,
Dick loved me the best of all!
To the prettiest he knelt
(Some strange girl—guess how I felt!);
To the wittiest he bowed
(That was Genevieve St. Cloud).
Next was I—he loves me best
'Cause Dick chose me from the rest!
'Course we felt a little shy—
Dick and me—No, Dick and I!

My, we ies, had loads of fun—
Dick an' I an' everyone.
Jester Tom wore cap an' bell;
Maid-in-waiting was Estelle;
I was dressed in gold an' green—
Dick an' I were king an' queen.
My most dearest aunt was there;
Said we were the cutest pair!
Said it was a joy to see
Dick an' I—No, Dick an' me.

TO LEGALIZE BOOZE

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 11.—A "wine and beer" bill was introduced in the legislature today by Assemblyman L. A. Suvillier, Democrat, of New York. The measure seems to legalize the sale in hotels and resturants of beverages containing not more than eight per cent. of alcohol by weight, to be drunk on the premises.

Last of the Cornish tin mines closed down eight months ago.

Today's Fashion Hints

THE CHOKER'S COMING BACK

BY MARIAN HALE

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—High collars again: Collars which fairly extend to the ears!

Every now and then some designer, tired of gowns that are cut in V's and circles at the neck attempts to cover up Milady's chin with ruchings, frills and such!

This Peiret frock has the popular round neck effect but a white organdie choker conceals the throat and extends quite up to the chin and ears.

When there are collars at all, this season, they are very high!

A slight accenting of the waistline is a notable feature of new gowns for day wear.

As in this one, the accenting is done with the cut of the garment, not so often with belt or sash effects. There is even a hint of the basque, which extends form flying down over the skirt.

Pleated skirts are much used for street wear.

SISTER PROSTRATED ON DENIAL OF MOTION

OSSINING, N. Y., Jan. 11.—Miss Margaret Persons of Cleveland, Ohio, was prostrated today when she learned that Supreme Court Justice Sawyer had denied a motion for a new trial for her brother, Edward who is to be electrocuted tomorrow night. At the same time Raymond Mulford and William Marc, both of Buffalo will be put to death.

Miss Persons, who has been making a legal fight to save her brother's life for more than a month, said she would visit Governor Miller tomorrow in an effort to have her brother's sentence commuted to life imprisonment. Persons has maintained his innocence since his arrest in connection with the murder of George Klinger in the latter's cafeteria near Jamestown.

The Snowshoe Trail

Edison Marshall

(Continued from Last Issue)

XXII

The same rifle shots that brought bad dreams to Bill had a much more lucid meaning for Joe Robinson and Pete the Breed, the two Indians that were occupying Harold's cabin.

"Four shots," Pete said at last. "Lounsbury's signal."

"That means—big doin's," Joe pronounced gravely. "We go."

Then they put on their snowshoes and mushed away.

There was no nervous waiting at the appointed meeting place—a spring a half-mile from Bill's cabin. Harold Lounsbury was already there.

A stranger to this land might have thought that Harold was drunk. Unfamiliar little fires glittered and glowed in his eyes, his features were drawn.

The breeds waited patiently for him to speak.

"Where's Sindy?" he asked at last.

"Over Buckshot Dan's—just where you said," Joe replied.

"Of course Buckshot took her back?" The Indians nodded. "Well I'm going to let him keep her. I've got a white squaw now—and soon I'm going out with her to the Outside. But there's things to do first Bill has found the mine."

The others nodded gravely.

"And Bill is as blind as a mole—got caught in a cabin full of green-wood smoke. He'll be able to see again in a day or two. So I sent for you right away."

The breeds nodded again, a trifle less phlegmatically.

"The mine's worth millions—more money than you can dream of. Each of you get a sixth—one-third divided between you. As soon as we've finished what I've planned, we'll tear down his claim notices and put up our own, then go down to the recorder and record the claim," Harold went on. "Then it's ours. No one will ever guess. No one'll make any trouble.

"Both of you are to come to the cabin, just about dark. "You'll tell me you have been over Bald Peak way and are hitting back toward the Yuga village.

"Bring along a quart of booze—maybe two quarts would be better. And sometime in the early evening give Bill what's coming to him."

"Do him off—?" Joe asked stolidly.

"Make it look like a fight," Harold went on. "Insult him—better still get in a quarrel among yourselves. He'll tell you to shut up and one of you flame up at him. Then strike the life out of him before he knows what he's about. He's blind and he can't fight."

"What you want us to use?" Pete asked. "This?" He indicated the thin blade at his thigh. "Maybe use rifle?"

Harold's eyes looked drowsy when he answered. Something like a lust swept over him: this question of Pete's moved him in dark and evil ways. His father's blood was in the full ascendancy at last.

"There's an old pick in the cabin—Bill had it prospecting," he said.

XXIII

Bill's eyes were considerably better when he wakened—full in the daylight. The warm wet cloths had taken part of the inflammation out of them, and when he strained to open the lids, he was aware of a little dim gleam of light.

He couldn't make out objects however, and except for a fleeting shadow he could not discern the hand that he swept before his face. Several days and perhaps weeks would pass before the full strength of his sight returned.

His greatest hope at present was that he could grope his way about the cabin and build a fire for Virginia.

Building the fire, however, was a grievous task. He felt it incumbent upon him to move with utmost caution so that Virginia would not waken. By groping about the walls he encountered the stove.

Feeling told him that hot coals were still glowing in the ashes. Then he fumbled about the floor for such fuel as Harold had provided.

He found a piece at last, and soon a cherry crackle told him that it had ignited. He grinned with delight. But his joy was a trifle premature. At that instant he tripped over a piece of firewood and his hands crashed against the logs.

"Oh, blast my clumsiness!" he whispered. Virginia stirred behind her curtain.

"Is that you, Harold," she asked. She was wide awake.

"No. It's Bill."

"Well, what are you doing up, Bill Harold—do you mean to say you built the fire yourself?"

"That's me, lady—"

"Then you must have your sight again—" The girl snatched aside the curtain and peered into his face.

"No such luck. Coals were still glowing; all I had to do was to put in a piece of firewood. But I'm all well otherwise, as far as I can tell. How about you?"

The girl stretched up her arms. "A little stiff—and now—I want you to tell just how this blindness of yours—is going to affect our getting out."

It was a serious question. "I don't see how it can affect us a great deal," he answered. "I realize you don't know one step of the way down to Bradleyburg, and I can't see the way, but Harold knows it perfectly."

As if the invocation of his name were a magic summons, Harold opened the door and entered. He carried Bill's loud-mouthed rifle in the hollow of his arm.

"You've been hunting?" Virginia cried.

"Of course. I figured we needed meat. I carried Bill's rifle because I don't trust the sights of mine. They were a yard off that day I shot at the caribou."

"Did you see any game?"

Harold's eyes met hers and narrowed, ever so slightly. But his answer was apt. "I saw a caribou—about two miles away. There didn't seem a chance in the world to hit it, but considering our scarcity of meat, I took the chance. Of course, I didn't come within ten feet of him; Bill's gun isn't built for such long ranges. I shot—four times."

Bill did not reply. He was thinking that those same four shots. It was incomprehensible that they should have made such an impression upon him.

"And for all that Bill hasn't got his sight back yet, we're going to start down tomorrow," Virginia went on in a gay voice. She glanced once at Bill, but she did not see the world of despair that came into his face at the delight with which she spoke. "You and I will take turns pulling the sled; Bill will hang on to the gee-pole. And Bill says you know the way. We're going to dash right through—camp out only two nights.

That afternoon both Bill and Virginia started with amazement at the sound of tapping knuckles on the door. Harold's eyes were gleaming.

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Harold saw fit to answer the door himself. He threw it wide open. Virginia's startled glance could just make out two swarthy faces, singularly dark and unprepossessing.

"We—we mushin' over to Yuga—been over Bald Peak way," Joe said stumblingly. "Didn't know no one

"YOU AND I WILL TAKE TURNS PULLING THE SLED; BILL WILL HANG ON TO THE GEEPOLE."

was here. Want a bunk here tonight."

"You've got your own blankets?"

Yes. We got blankets."

"On your way home eh? Well, I'll have to ask this lady."

Harold seemed strangely nervous as he turned to Virginia.

"A couple of Indians, going home toward the settlement on the Yuga," he explained quickly. "They've come from over toward Bald Peak and were counting on putting up here tonight. That's the woods custom, you know—to stay at anybody's cabin. Do you think we can put 'em up?"

"Good Heavens, we can't send them on, on a night like this. It is awkward, though—about food—"

"They've likely got their own food."

"Of course they can stay. Bill can sleep on the floor in here—you can take the two of them with you into the little cabin. It will be pretty tight work, but we can't do anything else. Bring them in."

Harold turned again to the door, and in a moment the Indians strode, blinking, into the candlelight.

Virginia shot them a swift glance and was instinctively relieved; but at once she ascribed the evil savagery of their faces to racial traits.

Bill, sitting against the cabin wall, tried to make sense out of a confused jumble of thought and impressions and memories that flooded in one wave to his mind.

He had assumed at once that the two breeds were Joe and Pete, whom he had encountered when he first found Harold. Why, then, had the latter made no sign of recognition?

He resolved to know the truth.

"It's Joe and Pete, isn't it?" he asked abruptly in the silence.

"Pete—Joe?" Joe answered at last, in a bewildered tone. "Don't know 'em. I'm Wolfpaw Black—he's Jimmy—Jimmy DuBois."

Except for a little lingering uneasiness, Bill was satisfied.

Virginia went on with her supper preparations, and at last the three of them drew chairs around their crude little table.

The two breeds took their lunch from their packs and munched it, sitting beside the stove.

All at once Joe grunted in the stillness, and all except Bill whirled to look at him. He went to his pack and fumbled among the blankets. Then, a greedy light in his eyes, he put two dark bottles upon the table.

Virginia was suddenly deeply afraid. She looked at Bill, forgetting for the moment that in his blindness he could not see, and was comforting and that in his helplessness she could not depend upon him in a crisis. She turned to Harold. Hoping that he would refuse this offering at a word. And her fear increased when she saw the craving on his face.

"Have a drink!" Joe invited.

Bill started then, but he made no response. Harold moved toward the table.

"You're a life-saver, Wolfpaw," he replied, genially. "It's a cold night, and I don't care if I do. Virginia, pass down the cups."

(Continued in Our Next Issue)

The beautiful artist was murdered in her studio. Read the thrilling detective story which Isabel Ostrander has written for The Bee. "The Step on the Stairs" begins Monday, January 16.

842 POISON LIQUOR CASES IN ONE HOSPITAL

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—The poisonous liquor dispensed by Brooklyn bootleggers caused 842 patients suffering from alcoholic poison to be admitted for treatment at the Kings County Hospital during 1921, according to Dr. Mortimer D. Jones, of that institution.

Dr. Jones recently said the deadly methods of manufacture employed by the bootleggers were responsible for most of the poison cases. Only one case was caused by wood alcohol, and, according to the physician, not one case of poison due to home brew was treated.

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Schoolgirl, Expelled For Powdering Face, Will Fight Decision in Arkansas Court

Pearl Pugsley Refused to Stop Using Powder and Principal Expelled Her—Suing for Reinstatement.

KNOBEL, Ark., Jan. 12.—To powder or not to powder."

Judicial decision on this delicate point has again been postponed. Overwhelmed by press of litigation, the Clay county court has again deferred the famous cause of "Pearl Pugsley versus the School Board of District Number Eleven." Miss Pugsley was expelled from high school here because she refused to abstain from the use of face powder, and she is now suing to be reinstated in school without prejudice to her right of powdering.

Pending the Court's decision the case is being tried in the court of public opinion. And not only this town but the entire county is riven by the discussion.

J. R. McCoy, J. F. Sellmeyer and B. A. Scott are the members of the school board of District Eleven who decreed that "the wearing of transparent hosiery, low waists, short skirts or any other clothing tending toward immodesty or wearing of face paint or cosmetics are prohibited." N. E. Hicks, principal of the school, carried out this order and sent Miss Pugsley and two other gris home during the first part of the term when they failed to comply with the rule, and told them to wash the powder from their faces.

Hicks, who is also pastor of the Disciples of Christ Church of Knobel, declared that conditions in the school last term made necessary the adoption of the rule.

"It has been my observation that clothing and complexions which the rule we adopted prevents disturb the morals of the school," sad Hicks.

Hicks, admitted that "just a little powder doesn't hurt," and it seems that the board s somewhat divided over ths point in their rule. But when a meeting of the directors was held they stold as one in their declarations that "now that the rule s made we are going to stand by it."

While the case is pending, Miss Pugsley remains out of school. She states today, however, that she is making arrangements to either enter school at Corning, a neighboring town, or at Poplar Bluff, Mo.

She stated that on the day of her dismissal from school she had a very moderate amount of powder on her face.

"I had always been taught by my mother to use powder on my face," she said. "I had used it all my life, and if I was dressed up and no powder on my face I would feel as 'incomplete' as if I were dressed up and had no shoes.

"The day I was dismissed from school Mr. Hicks called for all girls in the room who had 'artificial complexions' to come up to the front and sit on the recitation bench. I went up front with two other girls, and, after reading the rule over to us, he said we would either have to leave school or go out and wash the powder and paint from our faces. I told him that I had nothing but orliraly talcum powder on, and he informed me that made no difference.

Miss Pugsley is a very reserved type of girl. She is about five feet two inches in height and weighs about 120 pounds. She is pretty, even when the face powder is lacking. She does not wear extreme clothing nor does she paint.

"I would not permit her to paint her face under any conditions," her mother declared. "I have used powder on all three of my children, even my son, from infancy I feel that it is my duty to see that the health and complexion of my children are preserved The Irish blood in my veins has been boiling ever since Pearl was dismissed from school.

Miss Pugsley summed up her credo as follows:

"I am a Methodist, love music and believe in powder."

Transport Crook Striving to Reach Zone of Safety

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—(By the Associated Press.)—Threatened by heavy northwest gales which weather bureau officials predicted would sweep the north Atlantic coast, the army transport Crook, making eleven knots an hour under temporary repairs, was striving tonight to reach the lee of the shore in a race against the impending danger. The vessel, bringing back 942 A. E. F. men from Germany, sprung a leak off the New Foundland banks in heavy weather, but a late radio said danger had passed and all was well.

At noon today the transport's position was figured as about 400 miles from Sandy Hook and about 150 miles off the Grand Banks. Weather bureau officials said tonight the terrific gale that has had the eastern part of the country in its grip was still traveling in a northeasterly direction, but was moving in a circle, gradually veering from the southwest to west, and tonight would be blowing violently from the northwest.

The naval communications office calculated, however, that the transport stood a good chance to reach the protection of the United States coast before the full force of possible northwest gales crossed her path.

Anticipating encounter with hazardous weather in the Crook's weakened condition, the transport St. Mihiel, which was sent to her aid and recalled, put out again this afternoon. It was said her commanding officer had orders to take off the Crook's passengers if she should be considered in danger.

The coast guard cutter Tampa left Boston to pick up the transport soon after news of her plight was received and with orders to stand by until she reached port. The steamship George Washington also was believed to be one o fthe liners in the vicinity that could give assistance if needed.

The Crook is one o fthe oldest ships in the army service. She carries a crew of thirteen officers and 139 men, commanded by Captain Joseph Reppa.

Southern Tariff Ass'n Adjourns

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—The Republican party will make large gains in the south in the next congressional campaign unless the Democrats abandon the doctrine of fre raw material as applied in the Underwood tariff act, John H. Kirby, president of the Southern Tariff Asociation declared today after adjournment of a two day sesion here of that organization.

"As the heads of an organization that was formed as a protest against the pernicious doctrine of free raw materials," said Mr. Kirby, "I feel commissioned to warn the Democratic leaders and members of the Senate that unless they repudiate the tariff policy announced by minority leader Kitchin on the floor of the House, April 14th, 1921, and accepted by a large majority of the Democratic members of the House, then the solid south will be broken."

Quoting Mr. Kitchin's address to the effect that a "sensible protectionist will go to the party that has taught and practiced protection for fifty years and not to the party who has always opposed it," Mr. Kirby declared that "against this announcement we place the demands of every productive industry in the South for a protective tariff on raw material and the signature of eighty per cent. of the bankers of our leading southern states."

Conversations On Shantung Resumed

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11—(By the Associated Press.)—Brought together again through the efforts of Arthur J. Balfour and Secretary Hughes, the Japanese and Chinese delegates today resumed their interrupted Shantung conversations and agreed on the question of withdrawing Japanese guards from the Tsingtao-Tsinanfu railway and all other troops from the former German leasehold. The withdrawal of troops, however is contingent on settlement of the entire Shantung controversy.

Under the agreement reached after morning and afternoon sessions, the Japanese agreed to withdraw their railroad troops within three months after the signing of a completed Shantung accord if circumstances permitted, but in any event within six months of that date.

With regard to the other troops in the leasehold, the Japanese undertake to begin the withdrawal immediately upon the Chinese taking over the administration of Kiao-Chow if possible then or in any event, within thirty days thereafter, provided an ultimate understanding is reached to restore the leasehold to China.

CCOMMON ALLEY CAT WINS BLUE RIBBON

NEW YORK, Jan. 11—A common alley cat with a back fence meow today perked up its ears, arched its back and walked off with a blue ribbon at the United Show of the Atlantic Cat Club and the Silver society.

Tibbles is his name. He is a short-haired tiger and while, a pedigreeless product of the streets entered by the Bide-A-Wee Home for Animals. He was invited into high society of Angoras and the Persians and the Sacred Palace cats, but would have none of them. He went off and slept in a corner all by himself.

VOLSTEAD ACT CONDEMNED BY CHICAGO COUNCIL

CHICAGO, Jan. 11.—After a three-hour debate the Chicago city council today adopted a resolution condemning the Volstead act and calling upon Congress to repeal it. The vote was 52 to 4. A resolution favoring enforcement of the act as long as it is a law was voted down, 47 to 12.

Reports Embarrassing.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 11.—When informed tonight that President Griffith had said he would not manage the Senators in 1922, Roger Peckinpaugh declared that news dispatches last night have caused him embarrassment. All his statements were based on those reports, he said.

Even if not made manager, Peckinpaugh said he is pleased over the deal which took him to Washington, and declared he would do his best for that team.

SIGNS EXTRADITION PAPERS

HARRISBURG, Pa., Jan. 11.—Governor Sproul tonight signed extradition papers for Luther Boddy, wanted in New York in connection with the slaying of two policemen. Boddy was captured in Philadelphia Monday.

HEIRS TO $10,000,000

But Will Stay on Their Jobs in Shoe Factory

HAVERHILL, Mass., Jan. 12.—Just suppose—

You suddenly fell heir to $10,000,000—

And that all your life you'd carried your dinner pail back and forth from a shoe factory every day, wholly dependent on your daily toil for a living?

What would you do?

Why you'd quit work and give a big farewell party for the gang at the factory.

And you'd buy a town house and country house and a flock of motor cars.

And you'd hire an army of servants and get some saddle horses and settle down to enjoy life, wouldn't you?

Well, now, take a look at Patrick Canning and his brother, James, both expert shoemakers for the last 25 years.

They've just inherited $10,000,000 from their great uncle, Major Edward J. Curley, Kentucky distiller king, who died at Monte Carlo.

Are they going to enjoy life?

You bet! By keeping on the job at the shoe factory!

And their children are going to stay at work, too!

"I'd far rather make shoes than lead a millionaire's life," says Patrick. "Yet me tell you, there's a lot of satisfaction in doing a day's work and doing it well.

"I think I may buy a flivver—and again I may not.

"My house needs painting and I may use part of the $10,000,000 to do that.

"My wife's been ailing a bit and I may take a vacation on her account, but it won't be for long."

And Irene, ranning's 21-year-old daughter—does she want to marry a title?

No, she's going to keep on sorting shoe soles!

"I'm quite contented as things are," she says, "and I don't see any reason for quitting work Maybe I'll get married, but I don't care anything about making what they call a brilliant catch."

Cannin's two other daughters—Bertha, 8, and Gertrude, 10—will continue their studies in the Haverhill public school.

James ranning, Patrick's brother and co-heir to the fortune, shares Patrick's ideas.

"I'm too old to change my way of living," he says. "Of course, I may play a bit of pool in the afternoon and take in the movies of an evening and I'll give my children anything they want.

"But they don't want much. My boy, Fred works as a shoe cutter and will keep on holding down his job

"It's better to do something useful in this world than to be idle."

LUTHER BODDY NORMAL

NEW YORK, Jan 11—Luther Boddy, confessed murderer of two detectives is normal, according to Dr Perry Lichenstein, Tombs physician who examined the negro slayer tonight Th negro was calm, displayed no signs of nervousness and gave no evidence of drug addiction, the physician said.

Tomorrow Boddy will face a supreme court justice for pleading after which the district attorney will ask for a special jury, that the trial on one of the two murder indictments may begin, January 23.

AUTOMATIC CONTROL FOR RAILROADS IS UP

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Forty-nine of the larger railrads of the United States serving practically all sections of the country were ordered by the Interstate Commerce Commission today to show cause on or before March 15, next, why they should not be required to install complete systems of automatic train control devices on their ines. The commission included with the order a tentative decision making it mandatory upon the roads concerned to install the devices by July 1, next, which will be adopted b yit unless the hearings cause a reversal.

SEISMIC DISTURBANCES

PANAMA, Jan. 11.—Five Seismic disturbances have been recorded during the last thre days at the Balboa Meterological station One of the disturbances lasted one hour. It is said tha volcanic erupions in Mexico have been responsible for the disturbances.

SEAT SALE OPENS TODAY

For Mrs. Fiske, in "Wake Up, Jonathan," At Majestic, Jan. 16th.

At the Majestic box office seats are now selling for Mrs. Fiske's engagement in this city on next Monday night, Jan. 16th.

Mrs. Fiske will appear in her latest comedy success "Wake Up, Jonathan!" which ran the greater part of last season at the Henry Miller theatre, New York, and which all the metropolitan critics declared to be the most delightful vehicle in which this distinguished star has been seen in a number of years. While the coming of Mrs. Fiske is always the bright dramatic event of the season, it is particularly pleasant to anticipate her appearance here in a play which has won such high praise wherever it has been presented. No actress of today can invest a role with such rare charm and distinction, and as Marion Blake in "Wake Up, Jonathan!" she is said to appear at her artistic best.

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Ray Stannard Baker tells about France's 'safety policy in the third instalment of his history of the Paris Peace Conference, to be published in The Danville Register next Sunday.

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By N. E. A. Service

CHICAGO, Jan 11.—When a business woman's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of—doll clothes!

What then?

Fortune and success—in the case of Mrs. Katherine A. Rauser, head of a $100,000 corporation.

Sixteen years ago she was a clerk in a department store. Today the business which she concelved out of the air castles of her dreams—an industry devoted to the manufacture of detachable doll clothing—brings in a handsome income and gives employment to 100 other women

Mrs. Rauser's factory is really a dressmaking establishment of the highest order, where doll costumes receive as much attention as do those for women of the most particular dres stastes.

She started operations with one sewing machine At that time there were no dolls on the market with removable clothing. It was a slow process to educate the world to accept artistic and expense creations in doll raiment. But time and patience turned the trick.

Each year, now, brings a style in doll clothing. Everything from ballroom frocks to bathing suits

The Rauser factory covers 10,000 square feet of space and has elaborate show rooms. Orders come from all corners o fthe globe.

Mrs Rauser says it is all the result of her dreams

"This is the age of feminine achievement," she says. "Women are coming into their own at last. They have capacities for success never before realized

"As creators women have the advantage over men. It is their business to create The coming generation will show what women can do when this faculty is given a chance to assert itself in the business world."

RESOLUTIONS

At a meeting of the directors of the Danville Traction & Power company held at the office of the company on Monday January 9, 1922, the following resolutions were adopted by a rising vote:

WHEREAS, on the 7th day of January, 1922 this company suffered an irreparable loss in the death of its president, John F. Rison, and

WHEREAS, the board of directors of this company desire to put on the records of this company, and to express to his bereaved family and to the public, something of its sense of loss and its admiration for the personality and character of its deceased president, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED: that in the death of John F. Rison this company has lost an able, conscientious and wise executive An executive who by his careful and skillful management had made himself almost indispensable to this company a man who by his corteous and affable attitude toward his directors, his stockholders and employees endeared himself to each one and made of them his warm and admiring personal friend and that in his death each of us has suffered a great personal loss, and that the community has lost one of its most valuable citizens, one who was always ready to give of his time and thought to any enterprise or project which would redound to the happiness or prosperity of his home city, and it is with deep sorrow that we record our heartfelt affection and devotion for this honorable and exemplary man

RESOLVED, further, that we extend our sincere sympathy to those on whom his loss will most heavily fall, his bereaved and sorrowing family, that these resolutions be written into the permanent records of this company and published in the Danville Register, and that the secretary of the company be instructed to forward a vertified copy to the bereaved family of our president and friend

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Virginia Women Plan Campaign

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—A campaign to make Virginia "the first southern state to place its women upon an equality before the law with men" was begun, it was announced here today, by the National Woman's Party with the convening of the state legislature at Richmond. Similar campaigns it was added, will be conducted in Maryland, Kentucky, Mississippi and South Carolina.

The blanket "bill of rights" prepared by the woman's party will be introduced early in the session of the Virginia legislature, it was said, and an intensive campaign will be waged in its support. Mrs. Gertrude Robey of Purcelleville, Va., party chairman for the eighth congressional district of that state, left tonight for Richmond after a conference with Alice Paul, vice president of the organizations. Mrs. Robey is to cooperate with Mrs. Sophie Meredith of Richmond, state chairman of the party, in conducting the campaign.

Trial Delayed By Witness' Illness

FITZGERALD, Ga., Jan. 11.—Trial of Fred Stubbs, one of fourteen persons charged with murder in connection with the fatal shooting of Engineer W T Reed on July 5, was delayed today because of the illness of O. C. Fairfield, witness for the State and a co-defendant.

It was announced in court when the case was called that Fairfield is threatened with appendicitis. Judge Gower will give the State twenty-four hours to determine whether trial shall begin, or be postponed for the term.

WOMAN ACCOMPANIES DRY SLEUTHS ON RAID

WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., Jan. 11.—When Deputy Sheriffs I. S Anderson and J. W. Walsh were sent to follow the trail of a bootlegg still in the Hotbur community of Caldwell county, yesterday Deputy Anderson's wife volunteered to assist, asserting the belief that she could locate the outfit The still was found and destroyed. In making his report of the affair, Deputy Walsh commended Mrs. Anderson for her courage and said that she reached the bootleg establishment almost as quickly as he did, and a few steps ahead of her husband, and assisted in the destruction of the plant

DUQUESNE NELL WINS.

GRAND JUNCTION, Tenn., Jan 11 Out-birding Trimble's Mr. Jim, Duquesne Nell, pointer, owned by J. H. Elder, Pittsburgh, won the derby of the United States field trials here late today. Trimble's Mr. Jim, pointer, owned by Matthew Trimble, Kensington, Md., was a close second, with Chief, pointer, owned by Hobart Ames, LaGrange, Tenn., third

GYMNASIUM NIGHT

Remember the demonstration of gymnasium work will be held on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Mothers are especially invited to come and bring their daughters.

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Wednesday, January 18, 1922, at 3:30 O'Clock, P. M.

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WILLARD ASSERTS RAILROAD RATES ARE NOT TOO HIGH

Are Being Slowly Forced Down By Economic Pressure.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Railroad rates are being slowly but steadily forced downward by economic laws which govern their levels, Daniel Willard, president of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, argued today before the Interstate Commerce Commission, when that body resumed its inqury into the general level of transportation charges There is no need but considerable danger, he said in forcibly decreasing them by government edict at the present time.

Mr. Willard appeared as the first of several railroad presidents who will sum up the case of the common carriers in defense of the existing rate levels He was preceded by several statisticians who presented masses of figures all tending to prove insufficient earnings from railroad operations during recent months, and meagre prospects for appreciable improvement even if present rates are maintained.

"What, then, may the public expect?" Mr Willard said in reviewing the statistical case "Must it continue to pay existing rates and fares? Is no relief to be expected?

"To assume that such is the case would be in error. In the past American railroads have afforded the cheapest transportation service in the world. They will do so again. They are, in fact, doing so at this minute. High as railroad charges are, they are not higher relatively than other prices are or were and it is important to remember that railroad charges or prices were the very last to go up, and in the nature of things cannot be the first to go down. They can and will participate in the downward movement of all prices

"In my opinion to accelerate the downward movement artificially at this time would injure the roads and not benefit the public Railroad rates are now and always have been subject to economic laws against which they cannot prevail, and the mere operation of such laws and influences will tend constantly to bring about lower rates just as has been the case not only during the past year but during all years of railroad operation."

Lower costs of operations, which must be attained before rates can be cut, Mr. Willard contended largely depend upon lower labor costs, or upon investments of large amounts of capital in betterments, and upon time for the consumption of high priced materials still in railroad inventories and their replenishment with cheaper products.

"The statements and statistics put in evidence would seem to afford no basis for immediate and further reduction of railroad rates," he said in summing up, "because it must certainly be clear that railroads cannot continue adequately to serve the public if they are required to operate under conditions which yield no higher rate of return on the value of property devoted to public use than that shown by the estimates, and that only by virtue of the most drastic economies and deferred maintenance."

When the hearing opened today, the United States Chamber of Commerce asked the commission to call Secretary of Commerce Hoover, as general representative of commercial interests in the rate hearing, and the commission so ordered Mr. Hoover will appear later.

Garment Workers To Sue For Wages Lost During Strike

NEW YORK, Jan 11.—Suits for sum totalling between three and four million dollars, representing wages lost by the 55,000 garment workers who have been on strike for two months, will be filed against New York garment manufacturers as a result of Supreme Court Justice Wagner's action today in enjoining the manufacturers from combining together to enforce a forty-nine hour week and a piece work system.

Benjamin Schlesinger, president of the International Ladies Garment Workers Union, on whose application the injunction was granted, announced that steps were being taken to prepare the action.

Justice Wagner's action, representing the first time in the history of labor disputes that a great labor organization has invoked legal action to restram employers from breaking a contract is considered one of the most important and far reaching decisions ever handed down in the interests of labor in the United States.

Immediately after the announcement of the decision on Max Steuer, attorney for the Cloak, Suit and Skirt Manufacturers Protective Association, declared he was prepar an appeal from Justice Wagner's ruling to be filed with the appelate division of the state supreme court Steuer will ask for an early hearing.

TESTIMONY OF OUTSIDERS RULED OUT BY JUDGE

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan 11.—Testimony by witnesses from outside the sixth federal reserve district is irrelevant to the case of the Atlanta Trust Bank and Trust company of Cordele, Ga., and a number of other banks in their injunction proceedings against the Atlanta Federal Reserve bank, Judge Beverly D Evans ruled in federal district court here today

The banks chiefly institutions in towns in Georgia, are seeking to prevent the reserve bank from enforcing its order that they may not charge exchange on checks cashed and claim the reserve bank made threats that would embarrass them if the orders were not obeyed. They announced witnesses from other districts would testify the other reserve banks have actually put such alleged threats into execution. The hearings are expected to continue through the week.

TRIAL OF RASE BEGINS.

ORANGEBURG, S. C., Jan 11—Claude Rase who created a sensation in the incumbent of education here when charges were made [illegible] had attempted an arson upon [illegible] shortly before taking office was tried on trial today charged with misconduct in office while county commissioner.

The charges were based on alleged fraudulent approval and cashing of county claims The assault case has not yet been called

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MERE MENTION

Mothers of the North-side Parent-Teacher Association are urged to attend the gymnasium demonstration which will be held at the Y. W. C. A. Thursday evening at 8 o'clock Mrs. M. O. Nelson, president.

Teachers' Come join a gym class at the Y. W. C. A. and keep in trim for your work. Come Thursday evening

A meeting of the Shakespeare Study Club will be held at 3.30 this afternoon at the Home of Mrs John Thomas Watson 153 Holbrook Ave.

NOTICE!

An adjourned annual meeting of the members of the Tuesdayrora Club will be held at the club house, 712 Main St on Saturday evening Jan 14, 19[illegible] A full attendance is desired

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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

The annual meeting of stockholders of Riverside and Dan River Cotton Mills will be held in the [illegible] company at Schoolfield [illegible] Virginia on [illegible] January [illegible] 1922 at noon, [illegible] purpose of receiving reports [illegible] electing a board of directors and transacting such other business as may come before said meeting

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PROBE OF HIGHWAY DEPT. ADVOCATED; DAVIS' MESSAGE

Governor Would Require Dry Oath from State Officers.

RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 11.—Right at the outset of the Legislature session there is trouble ahead for the highway department, there being a resolution for the investigation of the department by a committee of five to determine if there is incapacity, neglect, inefficiency or extravagance. This came from Senator Byrd. Another bill seeks to reorganize the department at once and completely.

Governor Davis read his message to the Legislature. This contained nothing of a startling nature, save that he would have an amendment to the State Constitution, which would require every person holding office in the State to take oath that they had not and would not violate the prohibition laws while in office and making the holding of office impossible to all who could not take the oath.

A bill was offered carrying into effect the proposed amendment to the Constitution as expounded by the governor.

Last session there was executive objection to increasing the salary of the State insurance commissioner and the hearing was defeated, but today the bill was offered and made an emergency measure. Delegate Adams, of Halifax, offered a bill which makes it a capital offense for a person to enter a bank at any time with the intention to commit robbery and to employ or attempt to employ dynamite in robberies.

The Legislature will journey to Williamsburg January 14, the guest of the alumni association, the occasion being the formal opening of the George Wythe School of Law, a new department in the college of William and Mary, and there will be a recess until Monday.

In his message touching State affairs the governor stands for the vesting of the governor with power to appoint all heads of departments and to make him alone directly responsible for the conduct of affairs, and he favors the transfer of the enforcement of prohibition laws to the attorney general's office and an allowance sufficient for enforcement. He says that so long as high-brows are allowed to get and use whisky, so long will the low-brows make and sell to them.

Due to the increase in costs of caring for criminals, the increased pay of officers, according to the governor's statement, there is an appropriation of $1,000,000 for original charges. The sum asked for law enforcement against criminals, generally, is considerably more than last year's.

Tank Corps Joins In Maher Search

DULUTH, Minn., Jan. 11.—A detachment of the Duluth tank corps tonight was pushing forward into the north woods to pave the way for the coming tomorrow of an airplane upon which the las thope of finding alive James Maher, Cook county commissioner, missing for more than two weeks, is based.

Maher set out in an open motor boat from his home at Grand Portage for Port Arthur, Ontario. A sudden change in weather hindered plans of the guardsmen today, four tank corps members under Captain L. J. Moerke, who started out for Grand Portage, 100 miles away, being forced to return because of heavy snow drifts.

Tonight, however, they started again and expect to reach Grand Portage tomorrow morning. The men carry a wireless outfit. Major Miller of the Minnesota National Guard observation squadron, expects to hop off in his airplane tomorrow for Grand Portage from where he will circle over Lake Superior's islands and mainland in an effort to find some trace of Maher.

12 STATE WITNESSES IN BLUNDON CASE TESTIFY

RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 11.—The prosecution in the case of Colonel H. G. Blundon, charged with embezzlement of funds of the Comonwealth National Bank of Reidsville, began its attack upon the accused today, the second day of the trial, in the United States district court here.

Elimination of the preliminaries of the opening day enabled considerable progress to be made and 12 witnesses were introduced by the prosecution. Announcement was made tonight that the government expects to rest its case after the taking of testimony on Monday.

NEWSPAPER MAN DIES

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan. 11.—A. L. Rowe, for more than half a century identified with Memphis newspapers, died at his home here today. He was 77 years old.

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HENRY FORD PLANS ONE OF GREATEST TASKS IN HISTORY

Will Make Muscle Shoals One of Industrial Centers of Country.

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 11.—The Muscle Shoals plan of Henry Ford contemplates one of the greatest undertakings in the history of industrial America and if the Detroit manufacturer obtains possession of the project in Alabama he will take immediate steps to make that part of the south one of the industrial centers of the country. The Associated Press learned today. His plan it became known, includes development of the property as a model to be extended eventually to many other parts of the country.

Mr. Ford's proposal includes the building of a city 75 miles long in the Muscle Shoals region. It would be made up of a number of large towns or small cities. This is in line with the manufacturer's view that men and their families should live in small communities where benefits of rural or near rural life would not been entirely lost.

His proposal to the government includes leasing of the property for one hundred years. But before the expiration of half that time he proposes to turn the completed project over to the district or to the government in such a way that no one in the future will be able to make a personal profit from the undertaking. He will arrange that neither he nor any of his heirs may realize any monetary benefit from the Muscle Shoals plants or the power developed it became known.

Mr. Ford proposes to make the project, if the government gives its consent, the outstanding achievement of his career.

The Muscle Shoals project is however, only the start of a greater program it became known, this includes the development of water power facilities in many parts of the country by which persons in those communities would derive power to run manufacturing plants, light their homes and run machinery on the farms. One detail of the plan is the harnessing by farmers of every creek and brook that crosses their property.

Mr. Ford expects to leave here about noon tomorrow for Washington to confer with Secretary Weeks regarding his proposal of leasing the Alabama plant.

If the government accepts Mr. Ford's bid, work at Muscle Shoals will be started at once. The nitrate and other plants would be run by steam power, pending the time the great dam, that will requore about two years to build, has harnessed the water at this point. Then wolud follow development, in the opinion of Mr. Ford, until within a comparatively few years an industrial center greater than Detroit, would have been built up.

Mr. Ford believes the Muscle Shoals plan, if consummated, will be the start toward development if the Mississippi river valley. The manufacturer beli tsesihe vvaeyll facturer believes this valley "could run the United States" if the water now going to waste could be utilized, the government could derive enough.

Eventually, in Mr. Ford's opinion, revenue from these power projects to support itself, thereby revolutionizing the financial system of the country.

Mr. Ford has spent the greater part of his energies during the last few weeks to whipping into shape his plans to develop the Alabama district in the event he obtains the lease from the government. He has held a large number of conferences on this matter and his program is known to be ready. This program includes definite steps toward development of water power in every part of the country. The manufacturer does not believe it practicable to carry power for long distances and therefore has evolved to provide each district with its own project.

ADMIRAL SMITH RETIRES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Rear Admiral William Strother Smith, who was chairman of the naval advisory board during the war, was relieved of active duty today after forty-five years of continuous service. He was born in 1857 at Richmond, Va., and was appointed a cadet engineer from Virginia in 1875.

TESTIMONY GIVEN BY ARMY OFFICERS IS CONTRADICTED

Statements That Soldiers Were Hanged Without Trial Declared False.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Testimony contradicting that of former service men was given today by army officers before a Senate committee investigating charges that American soldiers had been hanged without trial in France. Colonel Charles J. Symonds, of Camp Sherman, 36 years in the army, who was in command at Gievres, at which place soldiers had told of hearing reports of numerous executions, declared only one man was hanged there and that the hanging, by his orders, was secret.

The fact of the execution was made public later, the Colonel explaining that the murder for which the soldier was put to death had not been committed in his area, and he did not want a big crowd on hand to witness it. The picture of a gallows, supposed to be at Gievres, which had been filed with the committee by a former soldier, was identified by Colonel Symonds as the structure built there, "or one closely resembling it."

Captain Joheph D. Hahn, now stationed at Camp Benning, Ga., declared there was not a word of truth in the charge by Harry W. Segal, a soldier, that he, Hahn, had taken part in the unlawful hanging of two negro soldiers. Other witnesses said they never had heard of a lynching in the 116th Infantry, as witnesses appearing heretofore, before the committee had asserted.

The hearing went over until tomorrow when other army officers will be examined.

MINERS PLAN TO WORK.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Jan. 11.—Asserting that their families were starving, 700 coal miners, employes of seven mines owned by the Clinton Coal company, met in Clinton today to consider a resolution to return to work immediately. The men have been on strike since last October on order of the United Mine Workers because of trouble between operators and pumpers.

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[illegible] often enough, Mrs. Emma McMahon of this city [illegible] allows."

She is celebrating her one hundredth [illegible] anniversary by taking her first vacation.

Her last bit of work was the making of six pairs of trousers at the Kansas City [illegible] Garment factory. She drew her pay check of $21 [illegible] plans to keep house for her [illegible].

[illegible] back to work.

"A lady needs to lay off for a [illegible] spell every century or so," [illegible] McMahon.

[illegible] as folks call her, has [illegible] adventurous life. Her father [illegible] sea captain, fought in the [illegible] War against the United States [illegible] brought her to this [illegible] when she was 18 months old [illegible] is now Milwaukee.

[illegible] Chicago when the [illegible] and Indians [illegible] She [illegible] kept until she [illegible]

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